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PREFACE

India represents languages and cultures of diverse linguistic and ethnic groups, which are both sources of its strength and weakness. The Extent of linguistic heterogeneity is reflected in the recording of 1652 mother-tongues by the 1961 Census. All these, barring the "unclassified languages whose identity is a generic sense are not clear, are mapped by four language families. The following Table will give a clear idea of the number of languages with their family affiliation :

	Spoken by 5 or less	6 and above	1,000 and above	5,000 and above	10,000 and above	Total
Unclassified	312	263	17	2	7	601
Indo-Aryan	96	260	52	26	98	532
Austric	2	18	10	2	21	53
Dravidian	31	73	14	4	26	148
Tibeto-Chinese	30	81	43	21	52	227
Total	..		..		..	82
						1,643
Sikkim						9
						1,652

Some four-hundred out of these are tribal languages. There are 12 major languages besides Sindhi and Urdu, which are non-State languages, English, the major language of intellection, and Sanskrit, the classical language providing identity and rootedness to all Indian languages irrespective of their family affiliation. Out of these 12 languages 11 have their home states and one language, Hindi, is spoken in six states : Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and Bihar. The 11 major languages are distributed

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among two language families, Indo-Aryan and Dravidian. Oriya, Assamese and Bengali in the East, Marathi and Gujarati in the West, Punjabi and Kashmiri in the North-central are Indo-Aryan languages and Telugu, Tamil, Kannada, Malayalam in the South are Dravidian languages. These major languages are dominant as identity token, but not homogeneous in terms of communication. None of the Munda and Tibeto-Burman languages have either the numerical strength or a strong literary tradition so as to dictate recognition as a major language.

The linguistic diversity noticed in the macro-structure of the country is reflected in its micro-structures, the constituent states. Even though state boundaries are carved on the basis of dominant languages, the states continue to be multilingual. The minority languages in the states, as would be clear from the analysis given in the following pages range from 4.96 (Kerala) to 84.54 per cent (Nagaland) of their respective populations. In fact one could call India a country of linguistic minorities on the basis of the prevalent linguistic scene. Even the language amalgam Hindi-Urdu which forms the majority language spoken by approximately 46 per cent of the total population is a minority language in the context of the totality of speakers using non–Hindi languages. This however, need not be construed to mean that there is no dominant language in the States. The point is that the States are not monolingual and the minority cannot be ignored.

The relatively newly emerged States present a patternwhich deserve special attention. For example, States like Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Kerala, Uttar Pradesh, and West Bengal, where Telugu, Gujarati, Malayalam, Hindi and Bengali respectively are dominant languages, show a pattern where the dominant language is used by 85%–95% the people of the State. On the other hand, Assam, Bihar, Punjab and Rajasthan present a different pattern where the dominant language is used between 33.32% (Hindi in Rajasthan as against 56.49% Rajasthani which also is not a homogeneous communication group) and 47.14% (Assamese in Assam). A third pattern is presented by such States as Arunachal Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh and Nagaland, etc. The highest return for Mandeali in Himachal Pradesh is 16.76% and Konyaks in Nagaland is 15.46%. The Second and Third groups can conveniently be combined for purposes of research on the interrelationships between the competing dialects, the shifting phenomenon of the 'Standard' and other related topics. The Central Institute of Indian Languages has

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already initiated studies in this area with a view to investigating the thoretical implications and utilising the results of such study and for purposes of adult literacy and primary education.

The linguistic heterogeneity need not bind us to the regional Universals which blind India as on language and culture area. The twothousand years of cultural miscegenation has resulted in such interpenetration of elements of language and culture that the modern Indo-Aryan and Dravidian languages are closer to each other than any one of them to its parent language. It has also resulted in a situation that if one takes small spans on a scale running straight from north to south or from east to west there would hardly be any break in communication in terms of mutual intelligibility in the contiguous points of the scale. One may however expect break in communication in two extreme points of the scale. Not only features of spoken language, but also themes, modes of expression in the written literature and plots and motifs in the oral tradition, display a unity verging almost on uniformity of pattern and configuration.

The Indian Constitution, thorough articles 343–351, deals with the language situation in India. Articles, 29, 30 and 347 have been devised to safeguard the interests of minority language speakers and Article 350 B envisages the appointment of a Special Officer for linguistic minorities. Articles 336 and 337 contain special and transitory provisions for the Anglo-Indian Community. The Constitution being the basis of the framework of the democratic society, is itself bound to be subjected to democratic process.

Thus from time to time pressure is exerted to expand the 8th Schedule of the Constitution by including more languages. Some of the Constitutional provisions have been ammended in the light of the experiences gained and thus the Official Languages Act of 1967 came into existence. However, at no stage diversity as the starting point of language planning has been lost sight of.

The brochure *Distribution of Languages in India in States and Union Territories* based on the analysis of the 1961 Census data, could be put to multiple use. One of the conclusions, for instance, could have a sobering effect on those who ignore the claims of minority language groups in their home States. If the dominant language is forced on the minority without giving them reasonable chance for their

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self-expression and adequate time and opportunity for a smooth transition, then this may boomerang and create miseries for untold number of people all over the country. For instance, approximately 1/8th of the total Kannada-speaking population is outside the State of Mysore. If, for example, a situation of mutual intolerance is created in Mysore, it would reflect in other areas and the Kannadigas outside will be subjected to unmerited criticisms and oppression. If among other things this brochure generates a sense of mutual interdependence and aids language planning, the purpose would have been fulfilled.

The present book is an improvement on the brochure of the same name published by the Institute in 1971. We regret the large number of typographical and arithmetical errors in the earlier brochure.

The present book gives three-fold information about languages spoken in India. Accordingly, the book is divided into three parts. Part–1 of the book gives figures for all the languages and mother-tongues spoken in all the States and Union Territories according to Census 1961. At the end of this section summary tables are given, which show the position of minority languages in relation to the total population of the individual States and Union Territories. These are given both in terms of number of speakers as well as percentage.

In Part–I, classification of the languages and mother-tongues follows the classification model of the census of India, 1961, *i.e.*, Sections, C–V (A), C–V (B), C–V (C), C–V (D), and C–V (E). Section C–V (A) gives figures for the scheduled languages; section C–V (B) of languages having an all India population of more than 5,00,000 speakers; section C–V (C) has languages having an all India population of 1,00,000 — 4,99,999 speakers; section C–V (D), has languages having an all India population of less than 1,00,000 speakers The last section, *i.e.*, C–V(E) gives the total number of such mother-tongues which are not included in the above mentioned four sections with the total number of speakers of all of them put together.

Part—II of the book gives a comparative statement of the scheduled languages in India, States and Union Territories for 1961 and 1971, together with the increase and decrease in terms of percentage. The percentages have been computed in relation to the total population of the country, States and Union Territories respectively. The percentages

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in all the cases has been computed upto only two decimal places, and then rounded off.

In Part II, Sindhi is shown with one asterisk indicating that this language was not recognised as a scheduled language in 1961. This has been carried all through in Part—II of the book. Rest of the asterisks are explained in the footnotes.

At the end of this section summary tables are given, which show the position of minority languages in relation to the total population of the individual States and Union Territories. These are given both in terms of number of speakers as well as percentage.

In part IIIA Statewise classification of mother-tongues has been given. Under each state the familywise classification of languages has also been shown. In part IIIB familywise classification of languages showing upto three States where they occur have been listed. This is expected to provide a quick cross reference to earlier sections.

The Reader will find some discrepancies in the body of the text of this book. In Part I the figures are from C—V(A) of Census of India Vol. I Part II—C(ii). In part III the figures are from the supplement. There is a difference in these figures, as the former includes all mother tongues grouped under Telugu, whereas in the latter only the number of those returning Telugu as mother tongue are listed. Thus the total number of Telugu speakers in the section C—V(A) is 3,09,34,898, whereas in the supplement it is 3,09,32,257. In part IIIA of this book, the figures from the supplement have been given, thus reflecting the difference between Part I and IIIA.

In part IIIA, where familywise language distribution within each state is given, the census schedule restricts itself to the listing of the occurrence of a language in the first three States/Union Territories only. Therefore there may be a little discrepancy in the total number of language speakers given in different places.

Some of the discrepancies in the Census volume itself have been bodily transferred to this monograph. For instance, in the Language Handbook on mother-tongues in census (*Census Centinary Monograph No.10*) the following may be noted :

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	All India speakers	Kerala
Chettibhasha Konkani	1346	4613
		Assam, Bihar & W.B.
Manjhi	2296	2301

However in an operation of this magnitude, errors are bound to be there. They need not vitiate interpretation.

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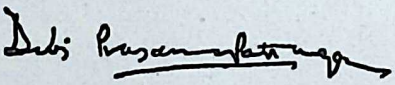

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ANDHRA PRADESH

a) Scheduled languages

Language	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	115	7	122	N
Bengali	2,022	1,324	3,346	N
Gujarati	13,431	11,312	24,743	0.07
Hindi	79,751	59,217	1,38,968	0.39
Kannada	1,92,456	1,89,686	3,82,142	1.06
Kashmiri	74	30	104	N
Malayalam	16,225	7,125	23,350	0.06
Marathi	1,42,211	1,44,526	2,86,737	0.80
Oriya	1,00,898	1,00,723	2,01,621	0.56
Punjabi	6,726	4,142	10,868	0.03
Sanskrit	13	12	25	N
Tamil	2,63,315	2,48,280	5,11,595	1.42
Telugu	1,55,83,254	1,53,51,644	3,09,34,898	85.97
Urdu	12,93,285	12,60,468	25,53,753	7.10
		Total ...	3,50,72,272	97.46

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	110	N
2	Rajasthani	5,83,894	1.62
3	Bhili	1,184	N
4	Gondi	75,964	0.21
5	Sindhi	5,984	0.02
6	Konkani	1,568	N

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7	Kurukh/oraon	... ...	1	N
8	Kumauni	... ...	35	N
9	Nepali	... ...	1,725	N
10	Tulu	... ...	287	N
11	Garhwali	... ...	50	N
12	Mundari	... ...	27	N
13	Manipuri/Meithei	... ...	39	N
		Total ...	6,70,868	1.86

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Savara	... ...	47,949	0.13
2	English	... ...	13,607	0.04
3	Lushai/Mizo	... ...	2	N
4	Khond/Khondh	... ...	22,730	0.06
5	Koya	... ...	1,08,658	0.30
6	Hindustani	... ...	855	N
		Total ...	1,93,801	0.54

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Kolami	... ...	12,174	0.03
2	Lahnda	... ...	796	N
3	Dravidan	... ...	8	N
		Total ...	12,978	0.04

e) Languages not included in a, b, c, & d.

No. of mothertongues			
73		33,528	0.10
Total Population	3,59,83,447		
Major language (Telugu)	3,09,34,898		
Minority languages	50,48,549		14.03

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ASSAM

a) Scheduled languages

Language	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	35,80,305	32,03,966	67,84,271	57.14
Bengali	11,21,292	9,67,956	20,89,248	17.60
Gujarati	508	204	712	N
Hindi	3,38,016	1,85,775	5,23,791	4.41
Kannada	158	48	206	N
Kashmiri	39	2	41	N
Malayalam	1,915	289	2,204	0.02
Marathi	3,279	2,218	5,497	0.05
Oriya	78,047	67,975	1,46,022	1.23
Punjabi	8,261	3,518	11,779	0.10
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	3,222	1,279	4,501	0.04
Telugu	10,770	9,016	19,786	0.17
Urdu	8,326	2,937	11,263	0.09
		Total ...	95,99,321	80.85

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	27,129	0.23
2	Rajasthani	9,736	0.08
3	Santali	68,756	0.58
4	Bhili	3	N
5	Gondi	11,454	0.10
6	Sindhi	718	N

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7	Konkani	... ...	74	N
8	Kurukh/Oraon	... ...	32,725	0.23
9	Nepali	... ...	2,15,213	1.81
10	Garhwali	... ...	127	N
11	Manipuri/Meithei	... ...	1,04,222	0.88
		Total ...	4,70,157	3.96

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi	... ...	3,63,092	3.06
2	Bodo/Boro	... ...	3,44,848	2.90
3	Garo	... ...	3,01,108	2.54
4	Tripuri	... ...	15,714	0.13
5	Savara	... ...	4,832	0.04
6	Munda	... ...	89,913	0.76
7	English	... ...	2,088	0.02
8	Lushai/Mizo	... ...	2,15,884	1.82
9	Kharia	... ...	5,397	0.05
10	Khond/Khondh	... ...	225	N
11	Mikir	... ...	1,54,339	1.30
12	Bhumij	... ...	4,970	0.04
13	Koya	... ...	952	N
14	Miri	... ...	1,36,322	1.15
15	Hindustani	... ...	138	N
16	Parji	... ...	616	N
		Total ...	16,40,438	13.82

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Ao	... ...	443	N
2	Konyak	... ...	48	N
3	Kolami	... ...	10	N
4	Rabha	... ...	38,330	0.32

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5	Angami ...	...	21	N
6	Tibetan ...	...	128	N
7	Naga—Unspecified ...	...	12,392	0.10
8	Dimasa ...	...	32,278	0.27
9	Thado ...	...	1,769	0.01
10	Kabui ...	...	607	N
11	Bhotia—Unspecified ...	...	464	N
12	Kuki ,, ...	...	5,044	0.04
13	Mao ...	...	6	N
14	Korwa ...	...	64	N
15	Halam ...	...	641	N
16	Arkanese ...	...	120	N
17	Koch ...	...	7,853	0.07
18	Dravidan ...	...	65	N
19	Rengma ...	...	145	N
20	Gangte ...	...	20	N
21	Rangkhol ...	...	4,095	0.03
22	Abor/Adi ...	...	697	N
23	Chiru ...	...	73	N
24	Birjia/Brijia, Brinjia ...	...	3	N
25	Dafla ...	...	1,026	N
26	Mishmi ...	...	69	N
27	Zemi Naga ...	...	490	N
28	Tangsa ...	...	293	N
29	Chin ...	...	274	N
		Total ...	1,07,468	0.91

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
62		55,241	0.46
Total population	1,18,72,772		
Major language (Assamese)	67,84,271		
Minority languages	50,88,501		42.86

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Note: According to language Tables of Census of India, 1961, Vol. I Part II–C–(ii) the total number of speakers of all the languages in sections C–V (A), C–V (B), C–V (C), C–V (D) and C–V (E) is 1,18,72,625 while according to general population table of Census of India, 1961, Vol. I Part II–A(i) the total population of the state is 1,18,72,772 which gives the difference of 147.

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a) Scheduled languages

Language	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	128	96	224	N
Bangali	6,35,231	5,85,569	12,20,800	2.63
Gujarati	10,666	9,402	20,068	0.04
Hindi	1,04,42,591	1,01,38,052	2,05,80,643	44.30
Kannada	415	259	674	N
Kashmiri	117	69	186	N
Malayalam	4,602	2,957	7,559	0.02
Marathi	2,919	2,155	5,074	0.01
Oriya	1,51,523	1,51,441	3,02,969	0.65
Punjabi	40,333	31,858	72,191	0.16
Sanskrit	103	26	129	N
Tamil	8,414	7,763	16,177	0.03
Telugu	19,483	17,739	37,222	0.08
Urdu	20,58,274	20,90,971	41,49,245	8.93
		Total	2,64,13,161	56.86

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	1,64,42,087	35.39
2	Rajasthani	61,618	0.13
3	Santali	16,59,235	3.57
4	Bhili	125	N
5	Gondi	451	N
6	Sindhi	4,089	N

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7	Konkani	816	N
8	Kurukh/oraon	5,49,377	1.18
9	Kumauni	235	N
10	Nepali	29,747	0.06
11	Garhwali	1,057	N
12	Mundari	5,74,482	1.24
13	Ho	4,45,068	0.96
14	Manipuri/Meithei	3	N
	Total ...	1,97,68,390	42.55

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Munda	20,301	0.04
2	Mandeali	5	N
3	English	8,387	0.02
4	Lushai/Mizo	5	N
5	Korku	867	N
6	Kharia	96,016	0.21
7	Bhumij	38,457	0.08
8	Hindustani	7	N
	Total ...	1,64,045	0.35

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Malto	88,632	0.19
2	Tibetan	886	N
3	Koda/Kora	2,599	N
4	Lahnda	33	N
5	Korwa	3,768	N
6	Koch	24	N
7	Dravidan	1,931	N
8	Birjia/Brijia/Binjhia	1,506	N
9	Bhutani	12	N
	Total ...	99,391	0.22

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e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
48		10,623	0.02
Total population	4,64,55,610		
Major language (Hindi)	2,05,80,643		
Minority languages	2,58,74,967		55.70

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GUJARAT

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	28	9	37	N
Bengali	2,082	1,311	3,393	0.02
Gujarati	95,90,183	90,82,539	1,86,72,722	90.50
Hindi	1,25,263	67,144	1,92,407	0.93
Kannada	3,179	2,043	5,222	0.03
Kashmiri	82	40	122	N
Malayalam	5,767	2,018	7,785	0.04
Marathi	1,12,697	95,495	2,01,122	1.01
Oriya	303	76	379	N
Punjabi	8,749	6,042	14,791	0.07
Sanskrit	9	90	99	N
Tamil	7,894	5,370	13,264	0.06
Telugu	6,225	4,377	10,602	0.05
Urdu	3,12,457	2,82,213	5,94,670	2.88
		Total ...	1,97,23,685	95.59

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	72	N
2	Rajasthani	57,158	0.27
3	Bhili	2,76,213	1.34
4	Gondi	219	N
5	Sindhi	5,00,222	2.42
6	Konkani	37	N

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7	Nepali	... ...	2,682	0.01
8	Tulu	... ...	5	N
9	Garhwali	... ...	633	N
10	Manipuri / Meithei	... ...	2	N
11	Pahari	... ...	13	N
		Total ...	8,37,256	4.06

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khandeshi	... ...	65,589	0.32
2	English	... ...	2,043	N
3	Hindustani	.. ...	1,101	N
		Total ...	68,733	0.33

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Ladakhi	... ...	1	N
2	Tibetan	... ...	8	N
3	Lahnda	... ...	18	N
4	Dravidan	... ...	260	N
		Total ...	287	N

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
37		3,389	0.02
Total population	2,06,33,350		
Major language (Gujarati)	1,86,72,722		
Minority languages	19,60,628		9.50

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JAMMU AND KASHMIR

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	*%*
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	3	2	5	N
Bengali	191	209	400	0.01
Gajarati	34	45	79	N
Hindi	14,383	7,945	22,328	0.63
Kannada	15	—	15	N
Kashmiri	10,42,315	8,95,502	19,37,817	54.42
Malayalam	110	46	156	N
Marathi	144	82	226	N
Oriya	26	—	26	N
Punjabi	5,12,549	4,65,84	9,78,393	27.48
Sanskrit	—	8	3	N
Tamil	268	81	349	N
Telugu	130	42	172	N
Urdu	6,895	5,722	12,617	0.35
		Total ...	29,52,586	82.92

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	*%*
1	Bihari	15	N
2	Rajastani	2,09,357	5.88
3	Bhili	134	N
4	Sindhi	96	N
5	Konkani	4	N
6	Kumauni	2	N

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7	Nepali	...	708	0.02
8	Pahari	...	2,43,707	6.84
9	Garhwali	...	197	N
		Total ...	4,54,220	12.76

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English	...	200	N
2	Hindustani	...	6	N
		Total ...	206	N

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Bharmauri/gaddi	...	1,832	0.05
2	Ladakhi	...	52,714	1.48
3	Chameali	...	22	N
4	Lahnda	...	2,000	0.05
5	Tibetan	...	2,076	0.06
6	Balti	...	33,459	0.94
7	Padari	...	6,305	0.18
8	Dravidan	....	184	N
9	Shina	...	1,558	0.04
10	Kohistani	...	233	N
		Total ...	1,00,383	2.82

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
42		53,581	1.58
Total population	35,60,976		
Major language (Kashmiri)	19,37,817		
Minority languages	16,23,159		45.58

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KERALA

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	12	2	14	N
Bengali	569	101	670	N
Gujarati	4,471	2,518	6,989	0.04
Hindi	4,215	3,112	7,327	0.04
Kannada	31,490	30,697	62,187	0.37
Kashmiri	15	2	17	N
Malayalam	79,34,415	81,31,325	1,60,65,740	95.04
Marathi	9,873	8,697	18,750	0.11
Oriya	53	6	59	N
Punjabi	848	309	1,157	N
Sanskrit	4	3	7	N
Tamil	2,68,706	2,59,002	5,27,708	3.12
Telugu	22,629	22,209	44,838	0.27
Urdu	4,744	4,418	9,162	0.05
		Total ...	1,67,44,445	99.06

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	4	N
2	Rajasthani	36	N
3	Hindi	1,532	N
4	Konkani	77,594	0.46
5	Kumauni	5	N

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6	Nepali	...	312	N
7	Pahari	...	7	N
8	Tulu	...	68,190	0.40
9	Garhwali	...	29	N
10	Manipuri/Meithei	...	4	N
		Total ...	1,47,713	0.87

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi	...	10	N
2	English	...	7,138	0.04
3	Lushai/Mizo	...	3	N
4	Hindustani	...	1,112	N
		Total ...	8,263	0.05

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Lahnda	...	1	N
		Total ...	1	N

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
55		3,293	0.02
Total population	1,69,03,715		
Major language (Malayalam)	1,60,65,740		
Minority languages	8,37,975		4.96

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MADHYA PRADESH

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	561	34	595	N
Bengali	29,828	22,985	52,813	0.16
Gujarati	68,283	61,106	1,29,389	0.40
Hindi	1,29,37,765	1,23,33,958	2,52,71,723	78.07
Kannada	3,145	2,087	5,232	0.02
Kashmiri	399	153	552	N
Malayalam	15,333	4,591	19,924	0.06
Marathi	6,41,159	6,18,523	12,59.682	3.89
Oriya	1,99,719	1.89,744	3,89,463	1.20
Punjabi	65,182	46,773	1,11,955	0.35
Sanskrit	381	3	384	N
Tamil	17,653	10,488	28,141	0·09
Telugu	32,199	26,227	58,426	0·18
Urdu	3,85,860	3,54,325	7,40,185	2.28
		Total ...	2,80,68,464	86.71

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	63,609	0.20
2	Rajasthani	16,11,656	4.98
3	Santhali	51	N
4	Bhili	8,75,916	2.71
5	Gondi	10,45,986	3.23
6	Sindhi	1,81,605	0.56

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7	Konkani ...	...	1,460	N
8	Kurukh / Oran ...	...	2,76,193	0.85
9	Kumauni ...	...	412	N
10	Nepali ...	...	9,544	0.03
11	Pahari ...	...	267	N
12	Tulu ...	...	16	N
13	Garhwali ...	....	2,142	N
14	Mundari ...	...	855	N
15	Manipuri / Meithei ...	...	16	N
	Total	...	40,69,728	12.57

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Kandeshi ...	...	3,241	0.01
2	Khasi ...	...	5	N
3	Savara ...	...	1	N
4	Munda–Unspecified ...	...	635	N
5	English ...	...	5,979	0.02
6	Lushai/Mizo ...	...	5	N
7	Kharia ...	...	17,396	0.05
8	Korku ...	...	1,58,718	0.49
9	Hindustani ...	...	1,084	N
10	Parji ...	...	24,718	0.08
	Total	...	2,11,782	0.65

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Tatal Speakers	%
1	Malto ...	...	30	N
2	Kolami ...	...	41	N
3	Tibetan ...	...	18	N
4	Koda/Kora ...	...	312	N
5	Kanauri ...	...	11	N
6	Lahnda ...	...	1,022	N

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7	Korwa	...	13,422	0.04
8	Bhutani	...	2	N
		Total ...	14,858	0.05

e) **Languages not included in a, b, c & d.**

No. of mothertongues			
58		7,576	0.02
Total population	3,23,72,408		
Major language (Hindi)	2,52,71,723		
Minority languages	71,00,685		21.93

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MADRAS

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	53	17	70	N
Bengali	1,748	750	2,498	N
Gujarati	88,442	85,260	1,73,702	0.53
Hindi	21,859	17,130	38,989	0·12
Kannada	4,77,356	4,70,472	9,47,828	2.81
Kashmiri	67	22	89	N
Malayalam	2,29,541	1,74,805	4,04,346	1·20
Marathi	26,676	25,687	52,363	0·16
Oriya	259	140	399	N
Punjabi	2,369	1,138	3,507	0.01
Sanskrit	62	55	117	N
Tamil	1,40,24,226	1,39,91,921	2,80.16,147	83.17
Telugu	16,88,115	16,75,719	33,63,834	9·98
Urdu	3,14,083	3,01,420	6,15,503	1·83
		Total	3,36,19,392	99.80

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	17	N
2	Rajasthani	7,188	0.02
3	Santali	3	N
4	Sindhi	7,511	0.02
5	Konkani	4,656	0.01
6	Nepali	1,348	N

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7	Pahari	...	17	N
8	Tulu	...	4,686	0.01
9	Garhwali	...	1	N
10	Manipuri/Meithei	...	13	N
		Total ...	25,440	0.07

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi	...	4	N
2	English	....	34,446	0.10
3	Lushai/Mizo	...	4	N
4	Hindustani	...	921	N
		Total ...	35,375	0.11

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Tibetan	...	37	N
2	Lahnda	...	61	N
3	Bhutani	...	2	N
4	Kota	....	956	N
		Total ...	1,056	N

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of Mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
70		5,690	0.02
Total population	3,36,86,953		
Major language (Tamil)	2,80,16,147		
Minority languages	56,70,806		16.83

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MAHARASHTRA

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	*%*
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	232	40	272	N
Bengali	17,750	11,364	29,114	0.07
Gujarati	5,99,269	5.02,331	11,01,600	2.79
Hindi	7,45,637	4,84,389	12,30,026	3.12
Kannada	3,40,417	2,92,827	6,33,244	1.60
Kashmiri	447	211	658	N
Malayalam	65,603	24,857	90,460	0.23
Marathi	1,53,94,429	1,48,84,484	3,02,78,913	76.55
Oriya	2,511	1,113	3,624	N
Punjabi	62,377	41,847	1,04,224	0.26
Sanskrit	46	36	82	N
Tamil	99,367	68,327	1,67,694	0.42
Telugu	3,46,338	2,94,457	6,40,795	1.62
Urdu	14,42,072	12,83,665	27,25,737	6.89
		Total ...	3,70,06,443	93.56

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	*%*
1	Bihari	584	N
2	Rajasthani	6,29,455	1.59
3	Santali	21	N
4	Bhili	4,41,364	1.12
5	Gondi	3,47,052	0.88
6	Sindhi	3,40,933	0.86

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7	Konkani	... ...	2,14,686	0.54
8	Kurukh/Oraon	... ...	75	N
9	Kumauni	... ...	234	N
10	Nepali	... ...	12,512	0.03
11	Pahari	... ...	121	N
12	Tulu	... ...	11,259	0.03
13	Garhwali	... ...	1,407	N
14	Ho	... ...	2	N
15	Manipuri/Meithei	... ...	73	N
		Total ...	19,99,778	5.06

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khandeshi	... ...	3,59,289	0.91
2	Khasi	... .	42	N
3	Savara	... ...	1	N
4	Munda	... ...	37	N
5	Mandeali	... ...	2	N
6	English	... ...	60,423	0.15
7	Lushai/Mizo	... ...	17	N
8	Korku	... ...	60,657	0.15
9	Kharia	... ...	2	N
10	Bhumij	... ...	21	N
11	Koya	... ...	45	N
12	Hindustani	... ...	11	N
		Total ...	4,80,547	1.21

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Ladakhi	... ...	2	N
2	Kolami	... ...	38,822	0.09
3	Angami	... ...	1	N
4	Tibetan	... ...	81	N

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5	Naga	... ...	19	N
6	Lahnda	... ...	1,707	N
7	Korwa	... ...	466	N
8	Dravidan	... ...	38	N
9	Baghati	... ...	1	N
10	Birja/Brijia/Binjhia	... ...	5	N
11	Bhutani	... ...	1	N
12	Siraji	... ...	1	N
13	Jangali	... ...	1	N
		Total ...	41,145	0.10

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
187		25,805	0.07
Total population	3,95,53,718		
Major language (Marathi)	3,02,78,913		
Minority languages	92,74,805		23.45

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MYSORE

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	103	18	121	N
Bengali	1,624	959	2,583	0.01
Gujarati	15,992	13,304	29,296	0.12
Hindi	46,614	35,222	81,836	0.35
Kannada	78,35,518	75,36,235	1,53,71,753	65.17
Kashmiri	18	5	23	N
Malayalam	1,76,566	1,28,946	3,05,512	1.30
Marathi	5,48,414	5,24,005	10,72,419	4.55
Oriya	656	516	1,172	N
Punjabi	3,388	2,002	5,390	0.02
Sanskrit	79	46	125	N
Tamil ...	4,50,219	4,08,954	8,59,173	3.64
Telugu	10.46,252	10,01,127	20,47,379	8.68
Urdu	10,41,057	9,93,425	20,34,482	8.64
		Total ...	2,18,11,264	92.48

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	25	N
2	Rajasthani	3,05,245	1.29
3	Bhili	1	N
4	Sindhi	7,426	0.03
5	Konkani	4,92,339	2.09

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6	Nepali	... ...	837	N
7	Pahari	... ...	13	N
8	Tulu	... ...	8,50,611	3.61
9	Garhwali	... ...	39	N
10	Manipuri/Meithei	... ...	15	N
		Total ...	16,56,551	7.02

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English	... ...	18,297	0.08
2	Lushai/Mizo	... ...	1	N
3	Hindustani	... ...	12,330	0.05
		Total ...	30,628	0.13

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Tibetan	... ...	1,217	N
2	Lahnda	... ...	3	N
3	Bhutani	... ...	1	N
		Total ...	1,221	N

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of Mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
87		87,108	0.37
Total population	2,35,86,772		
Major language (Kannada)	1,53,71,753		
Minority languages	82,15,019		34.83

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ORISSA

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	—	—	—	—
Bengali	63,567	62,120	1,25,687	0.72
Gujarati	5,733	3,703	9,436	0.05
Hindi	1,12,256	1,07,269	2,19,525	1.25
Kannada	297	287	584	N
Kashmiri	—	2	2	N
Malayalam	3,436	1,396	4,832	0.03
Marathi	1,501	1,469	2,970	0.02
Oriya	72,20,649	72,22.949	1,44,43,598	82.31
Punjabi	4,371	2,595	6,966	0.04
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	4,126	2,792	6,918	0.04
Telugu	1,97,907	1,95,546	3,93,453	2.24
Urdu	1,06,007	1,06,884	2,12,891	1.21
		Total ...	1,54,26,862	87.91

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Rajasthani	2,838	0.02
2	Santali	3,76,302	2.14
3	Gondi	20,087	0.11
4	Sindhi	131	N
5	Kurukh / Oraon	57,340	0.33
6	Nepali	1,878	0.01

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7	Mundari	...	1,29,110	0.74
8	Ho	....	2,03,052	1.16
9	Kui	...	5,12,161	2.91
		Total ...	13,02,899	7.42

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Savara	...	2,10,981	1.20
2	Munda	...	83,182	0.47
3	English	...	691	N
4	Kharia	...	56,548	0.32
5	Khond / Kondh	....	1,44,922	0.83
6	Bhumij	...	95,907	0.55
7	Koya	...	31,052	0.18
8	Parji	...	83,914	0.48
		Total ...	7,07,197	4.03

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Koda/Kora	...	2,600	0.01
2	Birjia/Brijia/Binjhia	...	803	N
		Total ...	3,403	0.02

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of Mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
12		1,08,485	0.62
Total population	1,75,48,846		
Major language (Oriya)	1,44,43,598		
Minority languages	31,05,248		17.69

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PUNJAB

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	1,016	180	1,196	N
Bengali	2,902	1,909	4.811	0.02
Gujarati	1,080	783	1,863	N
Hindi	60,66,239	52,32,616	1,12,98,855	55.64
Kannada	447	157	604	N
Kashmiri	7,660	464	8,124	0.04
Malayalam	5,173	1,217	6,390	0.03
Marathi	3,675	1,178	4,853	0.02
Oriya	418	115	533	N
Punjabi	44,72,195	38,71,069	83,43,264	41.09
Sanskrit	89	35	124	N
Tamil	5,109	1,680	6,789	0.03
Telugu	1,731	679	2,410	0.01
Urdu	1,36,308	1,19,352	2,55,660	1.26
		Total ...	1,99,35,476	98.17

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	78	N
2	Rajasthani	21,162	0.10
3	Santali	6	N
4	Bhili	1,113	N
5	Sindhi	1,311	N
6	Konkani	239	N

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7	Kumauni	...	63	N
8	Nepali	...	13,356	0.07
9	Pahari	...	2,48,176	1.22
10	Tulu	...	3	N
11	Garhwali	...	1,279	N
12	Mundari	....	10	N
13	Ho	...	1	N
14	Manipuri/Meithei	...	5	N
		Total ...	2,86,802	1.41

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khandeshi	...	2	N
2	Khashi	...	2	N
3	Bodo/Boro	...	20	N
4	Garo	...	2	N
5	Mandeali	...	636	N
6	English	...	1,432	N
7	Lushai/Mizo	...	10	N
8	Kharia	...	2	N
9	Hindustani	...	47	N
		Total ...	2,153	0.01

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Bharmauri-Gaddi	...	155	N
2	Ladakhi	...	129	N
3	Tibetan	...	3,338	0.02
4	Bhotia	...	6,685	0.03
5	Kuki	...	1	N
6	Kanauri	...	1	N
7	Lahnda	...	1,801	N
8	Dravidan	...	486	N

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9	Anal	...	2	N
10	Bhutani	...	4	N
11	Kanashi	...	563	N
12	Bashahri	....	154	N
13	Padari	...	1	N
		Total	13,320	0.07

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of Mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
60		69,061	0.34
Total population	2,03,06,812		
Major language (Hindi)	1,12,98,855		
Minority languages	90,07,957		44.36

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RAJASTHAN

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	53	18	71	N
Bengali	5,706	3,101	8,807	0.04
Gujarati	18,871	22,962	41,833	0.21
Hindi	35,93,180	31,21,677	67,14,857	33.32
Kannada	271	100	371	N
Kashmiri	232	85	317	N
Malayalam	1,240	973	2,213	0.01
Marathi	5,238	3,945	9,183	0.05
Oriya	740	668	1,408	N
Punjabi	2,18,332	1,85,643	4,03,975	2.00
Sanskrit	18	13	31	N
Tamil	2,046	1,397	3,443	0.02
Telugu	659	522	1,181	N
Urdu	2,68,152	2,41,521	5,09,673	2.53
		Total ...	76,97,363	38.19

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	478	N
2	Rajasthani	1,13,86,005	56.49
3	Bhili	8,31,869	4.13
4	Sindhi	2,33,321	1.16
5	Nepali	1,820	N
6	Garhwali	249	N
	Total ...	1,24,53,742	61.79

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c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English	...	1,289	N
	Total	...	1,289	N

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Tibetan	...	73	N
2	Lahnda	...	190	N
3	Bhutani	...	2	N
	Total	...	265	N

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongue		*Total Speakers*	%
13		2,943	0.02
Total population	2,01,55,602		
Major language (Rajasthani)	1,13,86,005		
Minority languages	87,69,597		43.51

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UTTAR PRADESH

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	222	81	303	N
Bengali	54,032	50,496	1,04,528	0.14
Gujarati	7,655	5,177	12,832	0.02
Hindi	3,31,08,399	2,98,66,337	6,29,74,736	85.39
Kannada	1,125	402	1,527	N
Kashmiri	950	366	1,316	N
Malayalam	5,299	2,416	7,715	0.01
Marathi	9,323	5,236	14,559	0.02
Oriya	1,015	345	1,360	N
Punjabi	2,30,213	1,88,640	4,18,853	0.57
Sanskrit	984	348	1,332	N
Tamil	9,163	3,236	12,399	0.02
Telugu	2,752	1,778	4,530	N
Urdu	40,76,691	38,15,023	78,91,714	10.70
		Total ...	7,14,47,704	96.88

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	1,21,090	0.16
2	Rajasthani	6,294	N
3	Santali	5	N
4	Sindhi	57,458	0.08
5	Konkani	127	N
6	Kurukh/Oraon	761	N

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7 Kumauni	10,28,241	1.39
8 Nepali	79,355	0.11
9 Pahari	2,805	N
10 Garhwali	7,96,896	1.08
11 Manipuri/Meithei	105	N
Total ...	20,93,137	2.84

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1 Khasi	7	N
2 Tripuri	3	N
3 Mandeali	301	N
4 English	23,286	0.03
5 Lushai/Mizo	37	N
6 Kharia	1	N
7 Hindustani	1,00,552	0.14
8 Sirmauri	53	N
Total ...	1,24,240	0.17

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

	Total Speakers	%
1 Jaunsari	53,957	0.07
2 Ladakhi	4	N
3 Tibetan	2,906	N
4 Balti	112	N
5 Bhotia-Unclassified	7,955	0.01
6 Kanauri	334	N
7 Lahnda	443	N
8 Dravidan	659	N
9 Suketi	5	N
10 Bhutani	183	N
11 Bashahri	90	N
12 Siraji	168	N

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13	Jangali	...	110	N
	Total	...	66,116	0.09

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
41		15,204	0.02
Total population	7,37,46,401		
Major language (Hindi)	6,29,74,736		
Minority languages	1,07,71,665		14.61

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WEST BENGAL

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	6,964	1,315	8,279	0.02
Bengali	1,52,53,139	1,41,82,789	2,94,35,928	84.28
Gujarati	13,947	11,762	25,709	0.07
Hindi	13,11,256	5,86,569	18,97,825	5.43
Kannada	383	314	697	N
Kashmiri	74	25	99	N
Malayalam	6,489	2,113	8,602	0.02
Marathi	8,249	5,031	13,280	0.04
Oriya	1,67,633	46,198	2,13,831	0.61
Punjabi	38,939	18,717	57,656	0.17
Sanskrit	4	—	4	N
Tamil	20,762	11,901	32,663	0.09
Telugu	46,605	34,325	80,930	0.23
Urdu	5,23,796	3,09,051	8,32,847	2.38
		Total	3,26,08,350	93.36

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	1,48,889	0.43
2	Rajasthani	31,772	0.09
3	Santali	11,40,913	3.27
4	Bhili	26	N
5	Gondi	75	N
6	Sindhi	2,198	N

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7	Konkani	... ...	743	N
8	Kurukh/Oraon	... ...	2,21,127	0.63
9	Kumauni	... ...	29	N
10	Nepali	... ...	5,24,797	1.50
11	Tulu	... ...	1	N
12	Garhwali	... ...	1,436	N
13	Mundari	... ...	31,486	0.09
14	Ho	... ...	236	N
15	Manipuri/Meithei	... ...	123	N
		Total ...	21,03,851	6.02

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khandeshi	... ...	5	N
2	Khasi	... ...	182	N
3	Bodo/Boro	... ...	16,021	0.05
4	Garo	... ...	172	N
5	Savara	... ...	1,139	N
6	Munda	... ...	63,667	0.18
7	English	... ...	39,325	0.11
8	Lushai/Mizo	... ...	18	N
9	Kharia	... ...	842	N
10	Khond/Kondh	... ...	150	N
11	Bhumij	... ...	2,573	N
12	Koya	... ...	69	N
13	Hindustani	... ...	17	N
14	Parji	... ...	153	N
		Total ...	1,24,333	0.36

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Malto	... ...	14	N
2	Ladakhi	... ...	5	N

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3	Rabha	...	6,101	0.02
4	Angami	...	2	N
5	Tibetan	...	7,925	0.02
6	Naga	...	620	N
7	Koda/Kora	...	26,213	0.08
8	Bhotia	...	3,208	N
9	Lahnda	...	13	N
10	Arakanese	...	16	N
11	Koch	...	14	N
12	Dravidan	...	1,017	N
13	Birjia/Brijia/Binjhia	...	74	N
14	Bhutani	..	1,089	N
		Total ...	46,311	0.14

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
139		43,434	0.12
Total population	3,49,26,279		
Major language (Bengali)	2,94,35,928		
Minority languages	54,90,351		15.72

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PERCENTAGE OF MINORITY LANGUAGES IN STATES

(Following the Census Report of 1961)

Sl. No.	States	Total population	Minority languages	Percentage
1	Andhra Pradesh	3,59,83,447	50,48,549	14.03
2	Assam	1,18,72,772	50,88,501	42.86
3	Bihar	4,64,55,610	2,58,74,967	55.70
4	Gujarat	2,06,33,350	19,60,628	9.50
5	Jammu & Kashmir	35,60,976	16,23,159	45.58
6	Kerala	1,69,03,715	8,37,975	4.96
7	Madhya Pradesh	3,23,72,408	71,00,685	21.93
8	Madras	3,36,86,953	56,70,806	16.83
9	Maharashtra	3,95,53,718	92,74,805	23.45
10	Mysore	2,35,86,772	82,15,019	34.83
11	Orissa	1,75,48,846	31,05,248	17.69
12	Punjab	2,03,06,812	90,07,957	44.36
13	Rajasthan	2,01,55,602	87,69,597	43.51
14	Uttar Pradesh	7,37,46,401	1,07,71,665	14.61
15	West Bengal	3,49,26,279	54,90,351	15.72

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ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	*%*
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	10	2	12	0.02
Bengali	7,397	6,456	13,853	21.8
Gujarati	94	11	105	0.17
Hindi	2,424	1,149	3,573	5.62
Kannada	54	17	71	0.11
Kashmiri	4	6	10	0.02
Malayalam	4,015	2,658	6,673	10·50
Marathi	36	20	56	0.09
Oriya	116	13	129	0.20
Punjabi	236	123	359	0.56
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	4,347	1,422	5,769	9.08
Telugu	3,008	750	3,758	5.91
Urdu	1,019	878	1,897	2.99
		Total ...	36,265	57.07

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	*%*
1	Bihari	1,664	2.62
2	Rajasthani	9	0.01
3	Santali	4	N
4	Sindhi	3	N
5	Konkani	11	0.02

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6	Kurukh/Oraon	...	2,214	3.48
7	Nepali	...	170	0.27
8	Pahari	...	6	N
9	Tulu	...	3	N
10	Garhwali	...	11	0.02
11	Mundari	...	249	0.39
		Total ...	4,344	6.84

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Munda	...	867	1.36
2	English	...	75	0.12
3	Kharia	...	655	1.03
4	Hindustani	...	4,473	7.04
		Total ...	6,070	9.55

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

NIL

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
33		16,869	26.54
Total population	63,548		
Major language (Bengali)	13,853		
Minority languages	49,695		78.20

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a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	157	55	212	N
Bengali	15,385	12,751	28,136	1.06
Gujarati	3,574	3,052	6,626	0.25
Hindi	11,59,517	8,97,724	20,57,241	77.38
Kannada	1,201	800	2,001	0.08
Kashmiri	1,981	1,062	3,043	0.11
Malayalam	5,967	3,528	9,495	0.36
Marathi	4,239	3,339	7,578	0.29
Oriya	525	209	734	0.03
Punjabi	1,69,502	1,47,831	3,17,333	11.94
Sanskrit	48	16	64	N
Tamil	12,607	10,356	22,963	0.86
Telugu	2,754	2,476	5,230	0.20
Urdu	87,892	65,359	1,53,251	5.76
		Total ...	26,13,907	98.32

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	231	N
2	Rajasthani	2,492	0.09
3	Santali	1	N
4	Gondi	6	N
5	Sindhi	27,200	1.02
6	Konkani	1,405	0.05

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7	Kurukh/Oran	...	3	N
8	Kumauni	...	149	N
9	Nepali	...	3,587	0.13
10	Pahari	...	284	0.01
11	Garhwali	...	1,390	0.05
12	Manipuri/Meithei	...	33	N
		Total ...	36,781	1.38

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi	...	3	N
2	English	...	4,138	0.16
3	Tripuri	...	1	N
4	Lushai/Mizo	...	1	N
5	Kharia	...	1	N
6	Hindustani	...	152	N
		Total ...	4,296	0.16

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Ladakhi	...	7	N
2	Tibetan	...	94	N
3	Naga-Unspecified	...	8	N
4	Lahnda	...	737	0.03
5	Dravidan	...	1,246	0.04
6	Bhutani	...	7	N
		Total ...	2,099	0.08

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
61		1,529	0.06
Total population	26,58,612		
Major language (Hindi)	20,57,241		
Minority languages	6,01,371		22.62

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HIMACHAL PRADESH

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	*%*
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	13	8	21	N
Bengali	124	92	216	0.02
Gujarati	9	14	23	N
Hindi	78,692	64,878	1,43,570	10.63
Kannada	5	2	7	N
Kashmiri	2,377	1,125	3,502	0.26
Malayalam	91	31	122	N
Marathi	25	5	30	N
Oriya	21	9	30	N
Punjabi	46,060	39,366	85,396	6.32
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	31	17	48	N
Telugu	4	—	4	N
Urdu	3,549	2,722	6,271	0.46
		Total ...	2,39,240	17.71

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	*%*
1	Bihari	11.	N
2	Rajasthani	5,875	0.43
3	Santali	45	N
4	Sindhi	33	N
5	Konkani	9	N

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6	Kuruh / Oraon	...	69	N
7	Kamauni	...	18	N
8	Nepali	...	10,811	0.80
9	Pahari	...	5,19,782	38.47
10	Garhwali	...	2,110	0.16
11	Mundari	...	96	N
		Total ...	5,38,859	39.88

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Munda	...	6	N
2	Mandeali	...	2,26,408	16.76
3	English	...	20	N
4	Kharia	...	5	N
5	Hindustani	...	1	N
6	Sirmauri	...	1,11,338	8.24
		Total ...	3,37,778	25.00

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Bharmauri/Gaddi	...	54,291	4.02
2	Jaunsari	...	196	0.01
3	Ladakhi	...	48	N
4	Chameali	...	46,104	3.41
5	Tibetan	...	6,173	0.46
6	Bhotia	...	782	0.06
7	Kanauri	...	28,284	2.09
8	Lahnda	...	148	0.01
9	Padari	...	55	N
10	Dravidan	....	6	N
11	Handuri	...	5,337	0.39
12	Suketi	...	5,069	0.38
13	Baghati	...	4,033	0.30

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14	Bhutani	...	...	15	N
15	Bhashahri	...	...	280	0.02
16	Siraji	...	...	231	0.02
17	Kiunthali	...	...	137	0.01
18	Sodochi	...	...	8	N
			Total ...	1,51,197	11.19

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
57		84,070	6·22
Total population	13,51,144		
Major language (Pahari)	5,19,782		
Minority languages	8,31,362		61.53

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LACCADIVE, MINICOY AND AMINDIVI ISLANDS

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	—	—	—	—
Bengali	—	—	—	—
Gujarati	1	—	1	N
Hindi	2	—	2	N
Kannada	3	3	6	0.02
Kashmiri	—	—	—	—
Malayalam	10,215	9,814	20,029	83.08
Marathi	3	2	5	0.02
Oriya	—	—	—	—
Punjabi	1	—	1	N
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	25	18	43	0.18
Telugu	4	1	5	0.02
Urdu	1	—	1	N
		Total ...	20,093	83.34

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Konkani	4	0.02
	Total ...	4	0·02

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c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English	...	...	1	N
2	Hindustani	...	...	22	0.09
			Total ...	23	0.10

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

NIL

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
2		3,988	16.54
Total population	24,108		
Major language (Malayalam)	20,029		
Minority languages	4,079		16.92

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MANIPUR

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	272	28	300	0.04
Bengali	5,210	4,801	10,011	1.28
Gajarati	2	—	2	N
Hindi	1,541	838	2,379	0.30
Kannada	—	4	4	N
Kashmiri	8	3	11	N
Malayalam	45	9	54	N
Marathi	4	2	6	N
Oriya	36	21	57	N
Punjabi	376	263	639	0.08
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	14	3	17	N
Telugu	12	8	20	N
Urdu	23	13	36	N
		Total ...	13,536	1.74

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	232	0.03
2	Rajastani	410	0.05
3	Sindhi	19	N
4	Nepali	13,571	1.74
5	Manipuri/Meithei	5,02,838	64.46
	Total ...	5,17,070	66.29

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c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi	...	81	N
2	Garo	...	16	N
3	Tripuri	...	29	N
4	English	...	27	N
5	Lushai/Mizo	...	2,746	0.35
6	Mikir	...	58	N
7	Bhumij	...	2	N
8	Miri	...	8	N
		Total ...	2,967	0.38

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Ao	...	1,378	0.18
2	Angami	...	632	
3	Naga-Unclassified	...	2	N
4	Thado	...	30,205	3.87
5	Kabui	...	29,219	3.75
6	Kuki-Unclassified	...	17,792	2.28
7	Mao	...	28,810	3.69
8	Pochury	...	4	N
9	Kacha Naga	...	9,734	1.25
10	Simte	...	9,583	1.23
11	Anal	...	5,515	0.71
12	Gangte	...	4,866	0.62
13	Chiru	...	2,340	0.30
		Total ...	1,40,080	17.96

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e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
23		1,06,384	13.63
Total population	7,80,037		
Major language (Manipuri)	5,02,838		
Minority languages	2,77,199		35.54

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TRIPURA

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	74	49	123	0.01
Bengali	3,86,173	3,58,630	7,44,803	65.22
Gujarati	24	16	40	N
Hindi	10,878	7,729	18,607	1.63
Kannada	3	2	5	N
Kashmiri	2	1	3	N
Malayalam	27	7	34	N
Marathi	14	6	20	N
Oriya	6,076	5,507	11,583	1.01
Punjabi	74	37	111	N
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	34	15	49	N
Telugu	936	777	1,713	0.15
Urdu	15	6	21	N
		Total ...	7,77,112	68.05

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	13	N
2	Rajasthani	41	N
3	Santhali	1,634	0.14
4	Bhili	129	0.01
5	Gondi	116	0.01
6	Hindi	21	N

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7	Kurukh / Oran	...	1,811	0.61
8	Kumauni	...	18	N
9	Nepali	...	1,696	0.15
10	Garhwali	...	101	N
11	Mundari	...	697	0.06
12	Manipuri / Meithei	...	27,953	2.45
		Total ...	34,230	3.00

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi	...	333	0.03
2	Bodo/Boro	...	3	N
3	Garo	...	5,458	0.48
4	Tripuri	...	2,83,891	24.86
5	Savara	...	818	0.07
6	Munda	...	2,965	0.26
7	English	...	22	N
8	Lushai/Mizo	...	2,941	0.26
9	Kharia	...	237	0.02
10	Bhumij	...	73	N
11	Hindustani	...	349	0.03
		Total ...	2,97,090	26.01

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Tatal Speakers	%
1	Ao	...	2	N
2	Bhotia	...	3	N
3	Kuki	...	3,008	0.26
4	Halam	...	16,423	1.44
5	Arakanese	...	10,304	0.90
6	Koch	...	334	0.03
7	Dravidan	...	65	N
8	Rangkhol	...	550	0.05

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9	Abor/Adi	... ...	3	N
10	Birjia/Brijia/Binjhia	....	4	N
11	Angami	... ...	9	N
12	Tibetan	... ...	4	N
13	Kaboi	... ...	1	N
		Total ...	30,710	2.69

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
31		2,863	0.25
Total population	11,42,005		
Major language (Bengali)	7,44,803		
Minority languages	3,97,202		34.78

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DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	—	—	—	—
Bengali	—	—	—	—
Gujarati	5,926	5,401	11,327	19.54
Hindi	197	155	352	0.61
Kannada	2	5	7	0.01
Kashmiri	—	—	—	—
Malayalam	—	1	1	N
Marathi	17,229	16,889	34,118	58.86
Oriya	—	—	—	—
Punjabi	—	—	—	—
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	—	—	—	—
Telugu	75	61	136	0.23
Urdu	74	66	140	0.24
		Total ...	46,081	79. 50

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Rajasthani	15	0.03
2	Bhili	11,534	19.90
3	Sindhi	8	0.01
4	Konkani	3	N
5	Nepali	4	N
	Total ...	11,564	19.95

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c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English	....	19	0.03
		Total ...	19	0.03

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Kolami	...	8	0.01
		Total ...	8	0.01

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
5		291	0.51
Total population	57,963		
Major language (Marathi)	34,118		
Minority languages	23,845		41.14

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GOA, DAMAN AND DIU

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	—	—	—	—
Bengali	34	7	41	N
Gujarati	16,187	18,701	34,888	5.57
Hindi	1,458	205	1,663	0.27
Kannada	544	403	947	0.15
Kashmiri	—	—	—	—
Malayalam	80	41	121	0.02
Marathi	6,190	5,693	11,883	1.90
Oriya	—	—	—	—
Punjabi	5	9	41	N
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	216	70	286	0.05
Telugu	156	53	209	0.03
Urdu	4,926	4,595	9,521	1.52
		Total ...	59,573	9.51

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Sindhi	53	N
2	Konkani	5,56,557	88.81
3	Kurukh/Oraon	22	N
4	Nepali	8	N
	Total ...	5,56,640	88·82

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c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English	...	615	0.10
	Total	...	615	0.10

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Dravidan	...	198	0.03
	Total	...	198	0.03

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
12		9,641	1.54
Total population	6,26,667		
Major language (Konkani)	5,56,557		
Minority languages	70,110		11.19

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PONDICHERRY

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	*%*
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	4	2	6	N
Bengali	264	248	512	0.14
Gujarati	255	203	458	0.12
Hindi	311	150	461	0.12
Kannada	210	220	436	0.11
Kashmiri	—	1	1	N
Malayalam	9,777	10,915	20,692	5.61
Marathi	114	89	203	0.06
Oriya	8	1	9	N
Punjabi	26	27	53	0.01
Sanskrit	9	9	18	N
Tamil	1,62,410	1,63,452	3,25,862	88.29
Telugu	8,040	8,203	16,243	4.40
Urdu	1,305	1,289	2,594	0.70
		Total ...	3,67,548	99.58

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	*%*
1	Bihari	1	N
2	Rajasthani	18	N
3	Hindi	23	N
4	Konkani	28	N
5	Nepali	52	0.01

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6	Tulu ...	...	47	0.01
7	Manipuri/Meithei ...	...	1	N
		Total ...	170	0.05

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English ...	...	209	0.06
2	Hindustani ...	...	21	N
		Total ...	230	0.06

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Khezha ...	...	1	N
		Total ...	1	N

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
24		1,130	0.31
Total population	3,69,079		
Major language (Tamil)	3,25,862		
Minority languages	43,217		11.71

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NORTH-EAST FRONTIER AGENCY

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	2,443	1,197	3,640	9.40
Bengali	1,640	621	2,261	5.84
Gujarati	6	3	9	0.02
Hindi	5,750	1,287	7,037	18.18
Kannada	49	3	52	0.13
Kashmiri	76	—	76	0.20
Malayalam	708	29	737	1.90
Marathi	240	2	242	0.63
Oriya	207	29	236	0.61
Punjabi	1,061	96	1,157	2.99
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	564	23	587	1.52
Telugu	232	11	243	0.63
Urdu	201	8	209	0.54
		Total ...	16,486	42.59

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	202	0.52
2	Rajasthani	105	0.27
3	Santali	16	0.04
4	Sindhi	32	0.08
5	Konkani	1	N
6	Kurukh/Oraon	49	0.13

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7	Kumauni ...	...	325	0.84
8	Nepali ...	....	10,610	27.41
9	Pahari ...	...	5	0.01
10	Garhwali ...	...	298	0.77
11	Mundari ...	...	25	0.06
12	Manipuri/Meithei ...	...	286	0.74
		Total ...	11,953	30.88

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi ...	...	157	0.41
2	Bodo/Boro ...	...	22	0.06
3	Garo ...	...	60	0.16
4	English ...	...	14	0.04
5	Lushai/Mizo ...	...	283	0.73
6	Mikir ...	...	21	0.06
7	Miri ...	...	262	0.68
		Total ...	819	2.12

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India–1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Ladakhi	...	1	N
2	Rabha ...	...	1	N
3	Tibetan ...	...	3,882	10.03
4	Naga ...	...	260	0.68
5	Kabui ...	...	1	N
6	Kuki ...	...	69	0.18
7	Mao ...	...	2	N
8	Lahnda ...	...	3	N
9	Arakanese ...	...	1	N
10	Dravidan ...	....	4	0.01
11	Anal ...	...	2	N
12	Gangte ...	...	1	N

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13	Abor/Adi	...	3,204	8.28
14	Chiru	...	2	N
15	Bhutani	...	196	0.51
16	Dafla	...	353	0.91
17	Mishmi	...	600	1.55
18	Tangsa	...	167	0.43
19	Siraji	...	1	N
		Total ...	8,750	22.61

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
56		658	1.70
Total population	38,705		
Major language (Nepali)	10,610		
Minority languages	28;095		72.59

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NAGALAND

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	2,110	1,456	3,566	0.97
Bengali	2,391	1,429	3,820	1.03
Gujarati	5	4	9	N
Hindi	3,958	528	4,486	1.22
Kannada	4	—	4	N
Kashmiri	1	—	1	N
Malayalam	901	27	928	0.25
Marathi	49	2	51	0.01
Oriya	125	20	145	0.04
Punjabi	530	98	628	0.17
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	75	11	86	0.02
Telugu	70	19	89	0.02
Urdu	56	—	56	0.01
		Total ...	13,869	3.76

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	150	0.04
2	Rajasthani	82	0.02
3	Santali	66	0.02
4	Konkani	2	N
5	Kurukh / Oraon	37	0.01

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6	Kumauni	... ...	488	0.13
7	Nepali	... ...	10,400	2.82
8	Garhwali	... ...	513	0.14
9	Manipuri/Meithei	... ...	699	0.19
		Total ...	12,437	3.37

c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	Khasi	... ...	145	0.04
2	Bodo/Boro	... ...	887	0.24
3	Garo	... ...	224	0.06
4	Tripuri	... ...	5	N
5	Munda	... ...	80	0.02
6	English	... ...	3	N
7	Lushai/Mizo	... ...	245	0.07
8	Kharia	... ...	57	0.01
9	Mikir	... ...	475	0.13
10	Koya	... ...	1	N
11	Miri	... ...	6	N
		Total ...	2,128	0.58

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

			Total Speakers	%
1	Ao	... ...	55,922	15.15
2	Konyak	... ...	57,071	15.46
3	Angami	... ...	42,105	11.40
4	Tibetan	... ...	4	N
5	Naga–Unspecified	... ...	20,030	5.43
6	Dimasa	... ...	430	0.12
7	Kabui	... ...	261	0.07
8	Bhotia	... ...	14	N
9	Kuki	... ...	3,029	0.82
10	Mao	... ...	55	0·01

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11	Pochury	...	18,496	5.01
12	Halam	....	179	0.05
13	Phom	...	13,390	3.63
14	Kimchungre	...	12,673	3.43
15	Khiemnungam	...	12,435	3.37
16	Khezha	...	8,799	2.38
17	Dravidan	...	18	N
18	Rengma	....	5,790	1.57
19	Anal	...	3	N
20	Rangkhol	...	6	N
21	Abor/Adi	...	8	N
22	Dafla	...	1	N
23	Chiru	...	1,175	8.32
		Total ...	2,51,894	68.22

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
16		88,872	24.07
Total population	3,69,200		
Major language (Konyak)	57,071		
Minority languages	3,12,129		84.54

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SIKKIM

a) Scheduled languages

Languages	*Speakers*		*Total*	%
	MALE	FEMALE		
Assamese	3	2	5	N
Bengali	313	347	660	0.41
Gujarati	1	2	3	N
Hindi	1,702	451	2,153	1.33
Kannada	1	—	1	N
Kashmiri	1	—	1	N
Malayalam	101	7	108	0.07
Marathi	37	24	61	0.04
Oriya	11	—	11	N
Punjabi	124	42	166	0.10
Sanskrit	—	—	—	—
Tamil	35	—	35	0.02
Telugu	17	9	26	0.02
Urdu	93	26	119	0.07
		Total	3,349	2.06

b) Languages having population over 5,00,000 (All India—1961)

		Total Speakers	%
1	Bihari	81	0.05
2	Rajasthani	555	0.34
3	Gondi	21	0.01
4	Sindhi	5	N
5	Nepali	74,359	45.85
6	Garhwali	2	N
	Total	75,023	46.26

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c) Languages having population between 1,00,000—4,99,999 (All India—1961)

1	English	...	7	N
2	Hindustani	...	1	N
	Total	...	8	N

d) Languages having population less than 1,00,000 (All India—1961)

1	Ladakhi	...	2	N
2	Tibetan	...	6,690	4.12
3	Naga	...	2	N
4	Bhotia	...	10,762	6.64
5	Khezha	...	28	0.08
6	Dravidan	...	3	N
7	Bhutani	...	24	0.01
	Total	...	17,511	10.80

e) Languages not included in a, b, c & d.

No. of mothertongues		*Total Speakers*	%
11		66,298	40.88
Total population	1,62,189		
Major language (Nepali)	74,359		
Minority languages	87,830		54.15

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PERCENTAGE OF MINORITY LANGUAGES IN UNION TERRITORIES

(Following the Census Report of 1961)

Sl. No.	Union Territories	Total Population	Minority Languages	Percentage
1	Andman & Nicobar Islands	63,548	49,695	78.20
2	Delhi	26,58,612	6,01,371	22.62
3	Himachal Pradesh	13,51,144	8,31,362	61.53
4	L.M.& A. Islands	24,108	4,079	16.92
5	Manipur	7,80,037	2,77,199	35.54
6	Tripura	11,42,005	3,97,202	34.78
7	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	57,963	23,845	41.14
8	Goa, Daman & Diu	6,26,667	70,110	11,19
9	Pondicherry	3,69,079	43,217	11.71
10	NEFA	38,705	28,095	72.59
11	Nagaland	3,69,200	3,12,129	84.54
12	Sikkim	1,62,189	87,830	54.15

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF 1961—1971

The comparative statement is only for scheduled languages. The Male/Female breakdown for 1971 is still not available. The Male/Female breakdown for 1961 is already given in the Part–I of this volume and as it is not relevant for comparative figures, it is omitted in this part.

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INDIA

	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
		Total Speakers	% to total	Total Speakers	%to total	
1	Assamese	68,03,465	1.55	89,58,977	1.63	+ 0.08
2	Bengali	3,38,88,939	7.72	4,47,92,722	8.17	+ 0.45
3	Gujarati	2,03,04,464	4.63	2,58,75,252	4.72	+ 0.10
4	Hindi	13,34,35,360	30.37	16,25,77,612	29.67	— 0.70
5	Kannada	1,74,15,827	3.97	2,17,07,918	3.96	— 0.01
6	Kashmiri	19,56,115	0.45	24,38,360	0.44	— 0.01
7	Malayalam	1,70,15,782	3.87	2,19,38,231	4.00	+ 0.13
8	Marathi	3,32,86,771	7.58	4,22,51,207	7.71	+ 0.13
9	Oriya	1,57,19,398	3.58	1,98,55,450	3.62	+ 0.04
10	Punjabi	1,09,50,826	2.49	1,64,49,573	3.00	+ 0.51
11	Sanskrit	2,544	N	2,212	N	—
12	Sindhi*	13,71,932	0.31	16,76,728	0.31	—
13	Tamil	3,05,62,706	6.96	3,76,90,020	6.88	— 0.08
14	Telugu	3,76,68,132	81.58	4,47,52,926	8.17	— 0.41
15	Urdu	2;33,23,518	5.31	2,86,07,874	5.22	— 0.09
16	Others	5,55,28,992	12.64	6,83,74,747	12.50	— 0.14
	Total ...	43,92,34,771		54,79,49,809		

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ANDHRA PRADESH

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Tatal speakers	%to total	
1 Assamese	122	N	256	N	—
2 Bengali	3,346	N	15,057	0.03	+ 0.03
3 Gujarati	24,743	0.07	29,380	0.07	—
4 Hindi	1,38,968	0.39	1,89,048	0.43	+ 0.04
5 Kannada	3,82,142	1.06	4,26,146	0.98	— 0.08
6 Kashmiri	104	N	120	N	—
7 Malayalam	23,350	0.06	39,913	0.09	+ 0·03
8 Marathi	2,86,737	0.80	3,54,308	0.81	+ 0.01
9 Oriya	2,01,621	0.56	2,25,194	0.52	— 0.04
10 Punjabi	10,868	0.03	15,535	0.04	+ 0.01
11 Sanskrit	12	N	45	N	—
12 Sindhi*	5,984	0.02	8,408	0.02	—
13 Tamil	5,11,595	1·42	5,52,428	1.27	— 0.15
14 Telugu	3,09,34,898	85.97	3,71,33,338	85.35	— 0.62
15 Urdu	25,53, 753	7.10	32,99,854	7.59	+ 0.49
Total ...	3,50,78,256	97.48	4,22,89,030	97.21	— 0.27

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Languages	ASSAM		***ASSAM AND **MEGHALAYA		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	1961		1971		
	Total speakers	% to total	Totat speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	67,84,271	57.14	89,28,406	55.91	— 1.23
2 Bengali	20,89,248	17.60	30,01,067	18.79	+ 1.19
3 Gujarati	712	N	735	N	—
4 Hindi	5,23,791	4.41	7,57,232	4.74	+ 0.33
5 Kannada	206	N	289	N	—
6 Kashmiri	41	N	48	N	—
7 Malayalam	2,204	0.02	6,228	0.04	+ 0.02
8 Marathi	5,497	0.05	1,779	0.01	— 0.04
9 Oriya	1,46,022	1.23	1,50,456	0.94	— 0.29
10 Punjabi	11,779	0.10	16,011	0.10	—
11 Sanskrit	—	—	20	N	—
12 Sindhi*	718	N	427	N	—
13 Tamil	4,501	0.04	2,992	0.02	— 0.02
14 Telugu	19,786	0.17	20,475	0.13	— 0.04
15 Urdu	11,263	0.09	7,735	0.05	— 0.04
Total ...	96,00,039	80.86	1,28,93,900	80.74	— 0.12

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**In 1961 Meghalaya was a part of Assam.

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BIHAR

	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
		Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1	Assamese	224	N	596	N	—
2	Bengali	12,20,800	2.63	19,55,037	3.47	+ 0.84
3	Gujarati	20,068	0.04	23,234	0.04	—
4	Hindi	2,05,80,643	44.30	1,97,87,429	35.11	— 9.19
5	Kannada	674	N	1,298	N	—
6	Kashmiri	186	N	122	N	—
7	Malayalam	7,559	0.02	13,831	0.03	+ 0.01
8	Marathi	5,074	0.01	8,917	0.02	+ 0.01
9	Oriya	3,02,969	0.65	3,44,638	0.61	— 0.04
10	Punjabi	72,191	0.16	77,977	0.14	— 0.02
11	Sanskrit	129	N	350	N	—
12	Sindhi*	4,089	N	5,817	0.01	+ 0.01
13	Tamil	16,177	0.03	15,167	0.03	—
14	Telugu	37,222	0.08	33,300	0.06	— 0.02
15	Urdu	41,49,245	8.93	49,93,284	8.86	— 0.07
	Total ...	2,64,17,250	56.87	2,72,60,997	48.38	— 8.49

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GUJARAT

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1 Assamese	37	N	155	N	—
2 Bengali	3,393	0.02	5,702	0.02	—
3 Gujarati	1,86,72,722	90.50	2,38,65,243	89.39	— 1.11
4 Hindi	1,92,407	0.93	3,37,692	1.26	+ 0.33
5 Kannada	5,222	0.03	7,124	0.03	—
6 Kashmiri	122	N	872	N	—
7 Malayalam	7,785	0.04	18,677	0.07	+ 0.03
8 Marathi	2,08,192	1.01	3,31,361	1.24	+ 0.23
9 Oriya	379	N	1,248	N	—
10 Punjabi	14,791	0.07	25,998	0.10	+ 0.03
11 Sanskrit	99	N	38	N	—
12 Sindhi*	5,00,222	2.42	6,07,909	2.28	— 0.14
13 Tamil	13,264	0.06	15,995	0.06	—
14 Telugu	10,602	0.05	16,793	0.06	+ 0.01
15 Urdu	5,94,670	2.88	5,81,508	2.18	— 0.70
Total ...	2,02,23,907	98.01	2,58,16,315	96.70	— 1.31

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JAMMU AND KASHMIR

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1 Assamese	5	N	45	N	—
2 Bengali	400	0.01	828	0.02	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	79	N	131	N	—
4 Hindi	22,328	0.63	42,766	0.93	+ 0.30
5 Kannada	15	N	162	N	—
6 Kashmiri	19,37,817	54.42	24,22,869	52.48	— 1.94
7 Malayalam	156	N	1,564	0.03	+ 0.03
8 Marathi	226	N	695	0.01	+ 0.01
9 Oriya	26	N	1,068	0.02	+ 0.02
10 Punjabi	9,78,393	27.48	12,98,218	28.12	+ 0.64
11 Sanskrit	3	N	—	—	—
12 Sindhi*	96	N	65	N	—
13 Tamil	349	N	823	0.02	+ 0.02
14 Telugu	172	N	789	0.02	+ 0.02
15 Urdu	12,617	0.35	12,740	0.28	— 0.07
Total ...	29,52,682	82.92	37,82,763	81.93	— 0.99

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KERALA

	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
		Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1	Assamese	14	N	33	N	—
2	Bengali	670	N	1,068	N	—
3	Gujarati	6,989	0.04	6,583	0.03	— 0.01
4	Hindi	7,327	0.04	10,265	0.05	+ 0.01
5	Kannada	62,187	0.37	78,537	0.37	—
6	Kashmiri	17	N	23	N	—
7	Malayalam	1,60,65,740	95.04	2,04,96,705	96.02	+ 0.98
8	Marathi	18,570	0.11	17,386	0.08	— 0.03
9	Oriya	59	N	292	N	—
10	Punjabi	1,157	N	2,025	N	—
11	Sanskrit	7	N	6	N	—
12	Sindhi*	1,532	N	1,740	N	—
13	Tamil	5,27,708	3.12	5,05,340	2.37	— 0.75
14	Telugu	44,838	0.27	44,282	0.21	— 0.06
15	Urdu	9,162	0.05	11,374	0.05	—
	Total ...	1,67,45,977	99.07	2,11,75,659	99.20	+ 0.13

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MADHYA PRADESH

	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
		Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1	Assamese	595	N	534	N	—
2	Bengali	52,813	0.16	2,34,354	0.56	+ 0.40
3	Gujarati	1,29,389	0.40	1,55,723	0.37	— 0.03
4	Hindi	2,52,71,723	78.07	3,28,73,079	78.92	+ 0.85
5	Kannada	5,232	0.02	6,514	0.02	—
6	Kashmiri	552	N	582	N	—
7	Malayalam	19,924	0.06	46,465	0.11	+ 0.05
8	Marathi	12,59,682	3.89	13,85,952	3.33	— 0.56
9	Oriya	3,89,463	1.20	4,83,328	1.16	— 0.04
10	Punjabi	1,11,955	0·35	1,59,072	0.38	+ 0.03
11	Sanskrit	384	N	91	N	—
12	Sindhi*	1,81,605	0·56	2,42,275	0.58	+ 0.02
13	Tamil	28,141	0.09	28,735	0.07	— 0.02
14	Telugu	58,426	0.18	1,03,743	0.25	+ 0.07
15	Urdu	7,40,185	2.29	9,88,275	2.37	+ 0.08
	Total ...	2,82,50,069	87.27	3,67,08,722	88.13	+ 0.86

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MAHARASHTRA

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	272	N	700	N	—
2 Bengali	29,114	0.07	2,34,354	0.46	+ 0.39
3 Gujarati	11,01,600	2.79	1,55,723	0.31	— 2.48
4 Hindi	12,30,026	3.12	17,60,008	3.49	+ 0.37
5 Kannada	6,33,244	1.60	7,75,354	1.54	— 0.06
6 Kashmiri	658	N	1,642	N	—
7 Malayalam	90,460	0.23	1,81,858	0.36	+ 0.13
8 Marathi	3,02,78,913	76.55	3,86,16,857	76.60	+ 0.05
9 Oriya	3,624	N	9,525	0.02	+ 0.02
10 Punjabi	1,04,224	0.26	1,68,303	0.33	+ 0.07
11 Sanskrit	82	N	155	N	—
12 Sindhi*	3,40,933	0.86	4,32,073	0.86	—
13 Tamil	1,67,694	0.42	2,33,988	0.46	+ 0.04
14 Telugu	6,40,795	1.62	7,64,257	1.52	— 0.10
15 Urdu	27,25,737	6.89	36,61,898	7.26	+ 0.37
Total ...	3,73,47,376	94.42	4,69,96,695	93.23	— 1.19

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MANIPUR**

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1 Assamese	300	0.04	1,736	0.16	+ 0.12
2 Bengali	10,011	1.28	15,025	1.40	+ 0.12
3 Gujarati	2	N	43	N	—
4 Hindi	2,379	0.30	9,702	0.90	+ 0.60
5 Kannada	4	N	43	N	—
6 Kashmiri	11	N	16	N	—
7 Malayalam	54	N	804	0.07	+ 0.07
8 Marathi	6	N	117	0.01	+ 0.01
9 Oriya	57	N	70	N	—
10 Punjabi	639	0.08	1,651	0.15	+ 0.07
11 Sanskrit	—	—	—	—	—
12 Sindhi*	19	N	12	N	—
13 Tamil	17	N	834	0.08	+ 0.08
14 Telugu	20	N	292	0.03	+ 0.03
15 Urdu	36	N	311	0.03	+ 0.03
Total ...	13,555	1.74	30,656	2.86	+ 1.12

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MYSORE

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	121	N	320	N	—
2 Bengali	2,583	0.01	7,056	0.02	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	29,296	0.12	28,571	0.10	— 0.02
4 Hindi	81,836	0.35	1,29,842	0.44	+ 0.09
5 Kannada.	1,53,71,753	65.17	1,93,28,270	65.97	+ 0.80
6 Kashmiri	23	N	220	N	—
7 Malayalam	3,05,512	1.30	4,25,161	1.45	+ 0.15
8 Marathi	10,72,419	4.55	11,90,823	4.06	— 0.49
9 Oriya	1,172	N	1,798	N	—
10 Punjabi	5,390	0.02	7,240	0.02	—
11 Sanskrit	125	N	111	N	—
12 Sindhi*	7,426	0.03	9,651	0.03	—
13 Tamil	8,59,173	3.64	9,90,409	3.38	— 0.26
14 Telugu	20,47,379	8.68	23,97,557	8.18	— 0.50
15 Urdu	20,34,482	8.64	26,36,688	9.00	+ 0.36
Total ...	2,18,18,690	92.51	2,71,53,717	92.68	+ 0.17

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NAGALAND**

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	3,566	0.97	6,563	1.27	+ 0.20
2 Bengali	3,820	1.03	8,582	1.66	+ 0.03
3 Gujarati	9	N	13	N	—
4 Hindi	4,486	1.22	14,449	2.80	+ 1.58
5 Kannada	4	N	38	N	—
6 Kashmiri	1	N	2	N	—
7 Malayalam	928	0.25	2,336	0.45	+ 0.20
8 Marathi	51	0.01	188	0.04	+ 0.03
9 Oriya	145	0.04	554	0.11	+ 0.07
10 Punjabi	628	0.17	1,304	0.25	+ 0.08
11 Sanskrit	—	—	—	—	—
12 Sindhi*	—	—	20	N	N
13 Tamil	86	0.02	469	0.09	+ 0.07
14 Telugu	89	0.02	294	0.06	+ 0.04
15 Urdu	56	0.01	252	0.05	+ 0.04
Total ...	13,869	3.76	35,064	6.80	+ 3.02

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ORISSA

	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
		Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1	Assamese	—	—	88	N	—
2	Bengali	1,25,687	0.72	3,31,273	1.51	+ 0·79
3	Gujarati	9,436	0.05	13,771	0.06	+ 0.01
4	Hindi	2,19,525	1.25	2,40,552	1.10	— 0.15
5	Kannada	584	N	805	N	—
6	Kashmiri	2	N	32	N	—
7	Malayalam	4,832	0.03	11,468	0.05	+ 0.02
8	Marathi	2,970	0.02	2,772	0.01	— 0.01
9	Oriya	1,44,43,598	82.31	1,84,60,061	84.12	+ 1.81
10	Punjabi	6,966	0.04	15,978	0.08	+ 0.04
11	Sanskrit	—	—	10	N	—
12	Sindhi*	131	N	1,664	N	—
13	Tamil	6,918	0.04	9,160	0.04	—
14	Telugu	3,93,453	2.24	4,99,447	2.28	+ 0.04
15	Urdu	2,12,891	1.21	2,86,541	1.31	+ 0.10
	Total ...	1,54,26,993	87.91	1,98,74,622	90.57	+ 2.66

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Languages	PUNJAB AND HIMACHAL PRADESH		PUNJAB HIMACHAL PRADESH HARYANA, CHANDIGARH		Decennial increase/ decrease
	1961		1971		
	Total speakess	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	in %
1 Assamese	1,217	N	291	N	—
2 Bengali	5,027	0.02	7,892	0.03	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	1,886	N	2,771	0.01	+ 0.01
4 Hindi	1,14,42,425	52.83	1,31,69,548	48.23	— 4.60
5 Kannada	611	N	764	N	—
6 Kashmiri	11,626	0.05	5,836	0.02	— 0.03
7 Malayalam	6,512	0.03	6,174	0.02	— 0.01
8 Marathi	4,883	0.02	4,488	0.02	—
9 Oriya	563	N	1,535	N	—
10 Punjabi	84,28,660	38.92	1,20,76,947	44.23	+ 5.31
11 Sanskrit	124	N	204	N	—
12 Sindhi*	1,344	N	1,471	N	—
13 Tamil	6,837	0.03	6,128	0.02	— 0.01
14 Telugu	2,414	0.01	2,855	0.01	—
15 Urdu	2,61,931	1.21	2,36,663	0.87	— 0.34
Total ...	2,01,76,060	93.16	2,55,23,567	93.48	+ 0.32

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RAJASTHAN

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1 Assamese	71	N	150	N	—
2 Bengali	8,807	0.04	10,591	0.05	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	41,833	0.21	36,864	0.14	— 0.07
4 Hindi	67,14,857	33.32	1,56,72,445	60.83	+27.51
5 Kannada	371	N	952	N	—
6 Kashmiri	317	N	245	N	—
7 Malayalam	2,213	0.01	8,395	0.03	+ 0.02
8 Marathi	9,183	0.05	31,012	0.12	+ 0.07
9 Oriya	1,408	N	3,970	0.02	+ 0.02
10 Punjabi	4,03,975	2.00	14,46,511	5.61	+ 3.61
11 Sanskrit	31	N	115	N	—
12 Sindhi*	2,33,321	1.16	2,40,343	0.93	— 0.23
13 Tamil	3,443	0.02	3,564	0.01	— 0.01
14 Telugu	1,181	N	1,758	N	—
15 Urdu	5,09,673	2 53	6,50,947	2.53	—
Total ...	79,30,684	39.35	1,81,07,862	70.28	+30.93

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TAMIL NADU

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	70	N	134	N	—
2 Bengali	2,498	N	3,165	N	—
3 Gujarati	1,73,702	0.52	1,99,045	0.48	— 0.04
4 Hindi	38,989	0.12	63,790	0.15	+ 0.03
5 Kannada	9,47,828	2.81	10,55,064	2.56	— 0.25
6 Kashmiri	89	N	94	N	—
7 Malayalam	4,04,346	1.20	5,59,186	1.36	+ 0.16
8 Marathi	52,363	0.16	59,965	0.15	+ 0.01
9 Oriya	399	N	422	N	—
10 Punjabi	3,507	0.01	5,153	0.01	—
11 Sanskrit	117	N	254	N	—
12 Sindhi*	7,511	0.02	8,353	0.02	—
13 Tamil	2,80,16,147	83.17	3,48,17,421	84.51	+ 1.34
14 Telugu	33,63,834	9.98	36,00,078	8.74	— 1.24
15 Urdu	6,15,503	1.83	7,59,607	1.84	+ 0.01
Total ...	3,36,26,903	99.82	4,11,32,181	99.84	+ 0.02

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TRIPURA**

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	123	0.01	176	0.01	—
2 Bengali	7,44,803	65.22	10,70,535	68.80	+ 3.58
3 Gujarati	40	N	21	N	—
4 Hindi	18,607	1.63	22,471	1.44	— 0.19
5 Kannada	5	N	18	N	—
6 Kashmiri	3	N	7	N	—
7 Malayalam	34	N	314	0.02	+ 0.02
8 Marathi	20	N	196	0.01	+ 0.01
9 Oriya	11,583	1.01	13,911	0.89	— 0.12
10 Punjabi	111	N	405	0.03	+ 0.03
11 Sanskrit	—	—	—	—	—
12 Sindhi*	21	N	17	N	—
13 Tamil	49	N	82	N	—
14 Telugu	1,713	0.15	1,958	0.13	— 0.02
15 Urdu	21	N	67	N	—
Total ...	77,77,133	68.05	11,10,183	71.35	+ 3.30

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UTTAR PRADESH

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	303	N	972	N	—
2 Bengali	1,04,528	0 14	1,31,432	0.15	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	12,832	0.02	7,990	N	+ 0.02
4 Hindi	6,29,75,736	85.39	7,19,24,071	81.42	— 3.97
5 Kannada	1,527	N	3,064	N	—
6 Kashmiri	1,316	N	1,461	N	—
7 Malayalam	7,715	0.01	11,035	0.01	—
8 Marathi	14,559	0.02	12,681	0.01	— 0.01
9 Oriya	1,360	N	1,841	N	—
10 Punjabi	4,18,853	0.57	5,11,884	0.57	—
11 Sanskrit	1,332	N	508	N	—
12 Sindhi*	57,458	0·08	76,399	0.09	+ 0.01
13 Tamil	12,399	0.02	9,222	0.01	— 0.01
14 Telugu	4,530	N	6,394	N	—
15 Urdu	78,91,714	10.70	92,73,089	10.50	— 0.20
Total ...	7,15,05,162	96.96	8,19,72,043	92.79	— 4.17

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WEST BENGAL

	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
		Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1	Assamese	8,279	0.02	2,756	N	— 0.02
2	Bengali	2,94,35,928	84.28	3,78,06,508	85.32	+ 1.04
3	Gujarati	25,709	0.07	34,030	0.08	+ 0.01
4	Hindi	18,97,825	5.43	24,74,689	5.51	+ 0.15
5	Kannada	697	N	1,700	N	—
6	Kashmiri	99	N	278	N	—
7	Malayalam	8,602	0.02	14,155	0.03	+ 0.01
8	Marathi	13,280	0.04	7,205	0.02	— 0.02
9	Oriya	2,13,831	0.61	1,51,937	0.34	— 0.27
10	Punjabi	57,656	0.17	66,350	0.15	— 0.02
11	Sanskrit	4	N	171	N	—
12	Sindhi*	2,198	N	5,093	0.01	+ 0.01
13	Tamil	32,663	0.09	21,454	0.05	— 0.04
14	Telugu	80,930	0.23	84,492	0.19	— 0.04
15	Urdu	8,32,847	2.38	9,50,363	2.14	— 0.24
	Total ...	3,26,10,548	93.37	4,16,21,181	93.93	+ 0.60

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ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS

	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
		Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1	Assamese	12	0.02	17	0.01	— 0.01
2	Bengali	13,853	21.80	28,120	24.25	+ 2.65
3	Gujarati	105	0.17	159	0.14	— 0.03
4	Hindi	3,573	5.62	13,982	12.16	+ 6.54
5	Kannada	71	0.11	201	0.17	+ 0.06
6	Kashmiri	10	0.02	8	N	— 0.02
7	Malayalam	6,673	10.50	13,953	12.13	+ 1.63
8	Marathi	56	0.09	115	0.01	+ 0.01
9	Oriya	129	0.20	250	0.22	+ 0.02
10	Punjabi	359	0.56	1,024	0.89	+ 0.33
11	Sanskrit	—	—	—	—	—
12	Sindhi*	3	N	7	N	—
13	Tamil	5,769	9.08	14,518	12.62	+ 3.54
14	Telugu	3,758	5.91	9,361	8.14	+ 2.23
15	Urdu	1,897	2.99	2,488	2.16	— 0.83
	Total ...	36,268	57.07	84,203	73.22	+ 16.15

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Languages	NEFA***	ARUNCHAL PRADESH**			Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	1961		1971		
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	3,640	9.40	14,306	3.06	+ 6.34
2 Bengali	2,261	5.84	23,837	5.09	— 0.75
3 Gujarati	9	0.02	2,001	0.43	+ 0.41
4 Hindi	7,037	18.18	11,103	2.37	—15.81
5 Kannada	52	0.13	384	0.08	— 0.05
6 Kashmiri	76	0.20	5	N	— 0.20
7 Malayalam	737	1.90	2,327	0.50	— 1.40
8 Marathi	242	0.63	365	0.08	— 0.55
9 Oriya	236	0.61	1,481	0.32	— 0.29
10 Punjabi	1,157	2.99	1,397	0.30	— 2.69
11 Sanskrit	—	—	—	0.30	—
12 Sindhi*	32	0.08	31	N	— 0.08
13 Tamil	587	1.52	638	0.14	— 1.38
14 Telugu	243	0.63	368	0.08	— 0.55
15 Urdu	209	0.54	330	0.07	— 0.47
Total ...	16,518	42.67	58,573	12.52	—30.15

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**By 1971 NEFA was named as Arunachal Pradesh.

***Excludes population of that portion of NEFA where All India Census Schedule was not canvassed.

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DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1 Assamese	—	—	—	—	—
2 Bengali	—	—	8	0.01	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	11,327	19.54	8,885	12.01	— 7.53
4 Hindi	352	0.61	1,109	1.50	+ 0.89
5 Kannada	7	0.01	7	N	— 0.01
6 Kashmiri	—	—	—	—	—
7 Malayalam	1	N	23	0.03	+ 0.03
8 Marathi	34,118	58.86	42,786	57.82	— 1.04
9 Oriya	—	—	3	N	—
10 Punjabi	—	—	1	N	—
11 Sanskrit	—	—	—	—	—
12 Sindhi*	8	0.01	30	0.04	+ 0.03
13 Tamil	—	—	11	0.01	+ 0.01
14 Telugu	136	0.23	6	N	— 0.23
15 Urdu	140	0.24	134	0.18	— 0.06
Total ...	46,089	79.51	53,003	71.63	— 7.88

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	Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
		Total speakers	% to total	Tatal speakers	%to total	
1	Assamese	212	N	641	0.02	+ 0.02
2	Bengali	28,136	1.06	40,866	1.01	— 0.05
3	Gujarati	6,626	0·25	9,838	0.24	— 0.01
4	Hindi	20,57,241	77.38	30,60,681	75.27	— 2.11
5	Kannada	2,001	0.08	3,925	0.09	+ 0.01
6	Kashmiri	3,043	0.11	3,867	0.09	— 0.02
7	Malayalam	9,495	0.36	19,781	0.49	+ 0.13
8	Marati	7,578	0.29	11,598	0.29	—
9	Oriya	734	0.03	1,607	0.04	+ 0.01
10	Punjabi	3,17,333	11.94	5,48,088	13.48	+ 1.54
11	Sanskrit	64	N	94	N	—
12	Sindhi*	27,200	1.02	34,619	0.85	— 0.17
13	Tamil	22,963	0.86	37,343	0.92	+ 0.06
14	Telugu	5,230	0.20	9,556	0.24	+ 0.04
15	Urdu	1,53,251	5.76	2,31,127	5.68	— 0.06
	Total ...	26,41,107	99.34	40,13,631	98.71	— 0.63

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GOA, DAMAN AND DIU

Languages	1961		1971	Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total
1 Assamese	—	—	97	0.01 + 0.01
2 Bengali	41	N	712	0.08 + 0.08
3 Gujarati	34,888	5.57	60,687	7.07 + 1.50
4 Hindi	1,663	0.27	10,701	1.25 + 0.98
5 Kannada	947	1.15	16,537	1.93 + 1.78
6 Kashmiri	—	—	11	N —
7 Malayalam	181	0.02	6,656	0.66 + 0.64
8 Marathi	11,883	1.90	1,69,260	19.73 + 17.83
9 Oriya	—	—	153	0.02 + 0.02
10 Punjabi	14	N	1,370	0.16 + 0.16
11 Sanskrit	—	—	20	N —
12 Sindhi*	53	N	254	0.03 + 0.03
13 Tamil	286	0.05	3,347	0.39 + 0.34
14 Telugu	209	0.03	4,114	0.48 + 0.45
15 Urdu	9,521	0.52	19,205	2.24 + 0.72
Total ...	59,626	9.51	2,92,124	34.05 + 24.54

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LACCADIVE, MINICOY AND AMINDIVI ISLANDS

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in%
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	%to total	
1 Assamese	—	—	—	—	—
2 Bengali	—	—	4	0.01	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	1	N	1	N	—
4 Hindi	2	N	58	0.18	+ 0.18
5 Kannada	6	0.02	15	0.05	+ 0.03
6 Kashmiri	—	—	—	—	—
7 Malayalam	20,029	83.08	26,689	83.40	+ 0.32
8 Marathi	5	0.02	8	0.03	+ 0.01
9 Oriya	—	—	—	—	—
10 Punjabi	1	N	5	0.02	+ 0.02
11 Sanskrit	—	—	—	—	—
12 Sindhi*	—	—	—	—	—
13 Tamil	43	0.18	113	0.35	+ 0.17
14 Telugu	5	0.02	6	0.02	—
15 Urdu	1	N	32	0.10	+ 0.10
Total ...	20,093	83.34	26,931	84.16	+ 0.82

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PONDICHERRY

Languages	1961		1971		Decennial increase/ decrease in %
	Total speakers	% to total	Total speakers	% to total	
1 Assamese	6	N	3	N	—
2 Bengali	512	0.14	717	0.15	+ 0.01
3 Gujarati	458	0.12	767	0.16	+ 0.04
4 Hindi	461	0.12	895	0.19	+ 0.07
5 Kannada	436	0.11	707	0.15	+ 0.04
6 Kashmiri	1	N	—	—	—
7 Malayalam	20,692	5.61	25,623	5.43	— 0.18
8 Marathi	203	0.06	373	0.08	+ 0.02
9 Oriya	9	N	108	0.02	+ 0.02
10 Punjabi	53	0.01	126	0.03	+ 0.02
11 Sanskrit	18	N	20	N	—
12 Sindhi*	23	N	50	0.01	+ 0.01
13 Tamil	3,25,862	88.29	4,19,830	88.95	+ 0.66
14 Telugu	16,243	4.40	17,413	3.69	— 0.71
15 Urdu	2,594	0.70	3,362	0.71	+ 0.01
Tolal ...	3,67,571	99.58	4,70,003	99.58	—

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A. STATEWISE DISTRIBUTION OF MOTHER-TONGUES

This analysis is based on "Language Handbook on mother-tongues in Census" Census of India 1971. Various mother-tongues are classified state wise, family wise and speakers wise. 82 mother-tongues which are apparently foreign languages are excluded in this analysis.

Mother-tongues are grouped in six sections according to number of speakers within the states.

Legend for sections :

I	upto 5	speakers
II	6 to 999	speakers
III	1000 to 4999	,,
IV	5000 to 9999	,,
V	10000 to 99999	,,
VI	100000 and above	,,

A separate list consisting of foreign mother-tongues is attached.

In each section family affiliation of mother-tongues is shown and mother-tongues are arranged in alphabetical order.

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FOREIGN MOTHER-TONGUES IN INDIA

	Mother-tongues	*No. of Speakers*
1	Afghani	11269
2	African	118
3	African krue	1
4	American	45
5	Annamese / Annamite	48
6	Arabic / Arbi	17840
7	Armenain	62
8	Assirian	4
9	Australian	5
10	Austrian	6
11	Balinese	1
12	Balochi / Baluchi	2321
13	Basque	5
14	Belgian	42
15	Brazil	4
16	Canadian	77
17	Celtic	2
18	Chinese / Chini	14607
19	Congolese	39
20	Corsican	1
21	Czech / Czechoslovakian	115
22	Danish	529
23	Dutch	700
24	Egyptian	3
25	Ethiopian	3
26	Eurasian	1
27	Fijian	2
28	Finnish	27
29	Flemish	126

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Mother-tongues		*No. of Speakers*
30	French	2593
31	Gaelic	2
32	German	2568
33	Ghanese	11
34	Greek	531
35	Hanoi	11
36	Hawaii	1
37	Hebrew / Jewish	506
38	Hungarian	62
39	Indonesian	423
40	Irani / Iranian	878
41	Iraqui	4
42	Irish	83
43	Israeli	7
44	Italian	959
45	Japanese	985
46	Javanese / Java	482
47	Korean	3
48	Laotian	13
49	Latin	68
50	Lebanonese	7
51	Lithuanian	1
52	Luxembourgian	2
53	Malai / Malay / Malaya / Malayan	617
54	Mangolian / Mongolian	20
55	Nigerian	1
56	Norwegian	368
57	Persian	8007
58	Philippine	18
59	Polish	37
60	Portuguese	12317
61	Roumanian	101
62	Russian	1036
63	Scottish	24
64	Serbocroation	1
65	Shan	1
66	Siamese / Thai	1389
67	Siberian	1

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Mother-tongues		*No. of Speakers*
68	Slavic	10
69	Slovene	1
70	Sudanese	4
71	Suto	1
72	Swahili	53
73	Swedish	292
74	Swiss	75
75	Syriac	6
76	Tanganyika	1
77	Turkish / Turkistani	58
78	Uganda	7
79	Venzutick	1
80	Vietnamese	66
81	Welsh	21
82	Yugoslavian	85

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ANDHRA PRADESH

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Family — Dravidian

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
1 Atavika	3	3
2 Dorachuttam	1	1
3 Kurukal	2	2
4 Mathanga	1	1
5 Mondillu	4	4
6 Nagari Kannada	2	2
7 Noor	2	2
8 Samagara	2	2
9 Solaga	3	3

Family — Indo-Aryan

10 Agarwali	4	4
11 Kedhi	1	1
12 Mehtar	3	3
13 Pandi	2	2
14 Thaper	1	1

Family Unclassified

15 Balvan	2	2
16 Bandubal	3	3
17 Chang	2	2
18 Chovoel	1	1
19 Ghircharg	1	1

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
20 Hanemadi	1	1
21 Jarasi	2	2
22 Karen	2	431
23 Nolu	1	1
24 Nakkala	1	2
25 Nayakula	1	1
26 Nudiya	1	1
27 Pattam Bhasha	5	5
28 Sapru	1	4
29 Thari	1	1
30 Yaskhila	1	1
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Budabukkala	28	28
2 Chenchu	223	228
3 Dakkala	7	7
4 Dommara	963	963
5 Godari	51	51
6 Jogala	19	19
7 Kammara	64	64
8 Korchi	315	372
9 Kuruva Kannadam	215	215
10 Mala Bhasha	63	63
11 Mochi	6	6
12 Naikpodi	46	46
13 Paki	876	876
14 Parava	48	48
15 Pardhan	215	453
16 Parikala	81	81
17 Pichakuntla	26	26
18 Sankara Yerukala/Yerukula	89	89
19 Vadari	977	20654
20 Valmiki	8	8
21 Vani	12	12
22 Yenadi/Yanadi	203	240

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
23 Bare	909	909
24 Bondili	202	210
25 Chachadi	535	535
26 Dandasi	46	46
27 Gaudo	30	30
28 Goolla	459	459
29 Gouda Prakrutha	23	23
30 Inkari	732	732
31 Jogi	10	10
32 Kaillikyati	18	18
33 Kora-Banjari	29	29
34 Kshatri	623	937
35 Neelishikari	223	223
36 Paradhi	727	10153
37 Pittale Bhasha	131	131
38 Rangareji	79	79
39 Sabari	6	6
40 Sale	35	35
41 Seeskammari	8	8
42 Thoti	339	339
Family — Unclassified		
43 Bondala	10	10
44 Chathgir	7	7
45 Chau Bhasha	483	483
46 Dayyal Bhasha	19	19
47 Dravidian	8	53
48 Eti	26	26
49 Gadya Bhasha	41	41
50 Godagali	40	40
51 Hudia	6	6
52 Kasturi Bhasha	–	14
53 Katika	9	9
54 Kuncherukala	25	25
55 Kuravanji	99	99

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
56 Madari-Kuruva	6	6
57 Mandula	18	18
58 Mastin	17	17
59 Mundala	16	16
60 Palandi	15	15
61 Pamula Bhasha	23	23
62 Pancha	29	29
63 Pariya	18	18
64 Pendhari	11	11
65 Pondara	154	154
66 Poosala	41	41
67 Reddi Bhasha	23	23
68 Silpi	22	22
69 Veddy	39	39
70 Vondala	6	6
III		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Korava	1378	5792
2 Manne	4982	4982
3 Pattapu Bhasha	1113	1113
Family — Indo-Aryan		
4 Are	2591	2591
5 Khatri Saurashtra	1458	1790
6 Mathuri	2821	2831
7 Paidi	3967	3967
8 Pamidi	1228	1228
9 Patkari	1287	1287
10 Saurashtra	1059	157570
IV		
Family — Austric		
1 Gadaba	8402	40193

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Natakani	5074	5074
3 Relli	5271	5295
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Savara	47949	265721
Family— Dravidian		
2 Jatapu	19467	19467
3 Khond / Kondh	22730	168027
4 Yerukala / Yerukula	73890	73975
VI		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Koya	108657	140776
2 Telugu	30932257	37642439
Family — Unclassified		
3 Lamani / Lambadi	559326	679363

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ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Unclassified		
1 Andamanese	5	5
2 Barochi	1	1
3 Bunhar	1	1
4 Gagar	4	4
5 Jhora	1	1
6 Kunsar	1	1
7 Loher	1	1
8 Marahi	2	2
9 Moung	1	1
10 Nagari	2	2
11 Seypho	1	1
12 Vatu	1	1
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Laccadive	45	45
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Bombagga	9	9
Family — Unclassified		
3 Kadi	6	6
4 Karangam	147	147
5 Karen	429	431

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
6 Onge	131	131
7 Ranchi	200	278
8 Rathia	47	47
9 Sadharan	13	13
10 Sathari	45	45
11 Shompen	70	70
12 Yero	12	12
III		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese	1714	2871
1 Burmese		
IV — Nil		
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Nicobarese	13935	13936
VI — Nil		

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ASSAM

I

Family — Indo-Aryan

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
1 Bahe	4	4
2 Khowar	3	3
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
3 Achik	4	4
4 Khami	1	1
5 Khawathlang	1	1
6 Langtung	5	5
7 Poi	2	2
8 Tikhak	2	295
9 Tlangtlang	3	3
Family — Unclassified		
10 Chotanagpuri	1	1
11 Hengna	2	2
12 Hijoimdel	1	1
13 Mompa	1	1
14 Pawite	2	2
II		
Family — Austric		
1 Bhoi-Khasi	651	651

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
2 Kherwari	134	647
3 Nongtung	122	122
Family — Indo-Aryan		
4 Bangaru	11	115
5 Kachari Bengali	371	371
6 Kalahandi	513	513
7 Malpharia	760	9077
8 Nagpuri Marathi	15	15
9 Takam	29	29
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
10 Aka/Hrusso	59	2302
11 Arleng	107	107
12 Banai	527	527
13 Changsen	338	338
14 Chin-Unspecified	60	60
15 Dalu	10	10
16 Hadem	170	170
17 Hairamba	201	201
18 Kabui	607	17360
19 Khampti/Khamti	187	296
20 Khelma	543	722
21 Langrong	175	175
22 Mangari	495	1136
23 Matu	212	212
24 Pang	217	217
25 Ralte	90	170
26 Rangdania	22	22
27 Rangkhol	961	1517
28 Shekasip	98	98
29 Singpho	793	819
30 Tableng	13	14
31 Thangngen	201	201
32 Upama Naga	58	58

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
33 Urima Naga	58	58
34 Zemi Naga	374	374
Family — Unclassified		
35 Sam	32	32
III		
Family — Austric		
1 Manjhi	1339	2296
2 Savara	4832	265721
3 War	3852	3854
Family — Dravidian		
4 Kisan	1461	50378
Family — Indo-Aryan		
5 Gowro	4802	4802
6 Nagari Hindi	3364	6731
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
7 Bate	2964	2964
8 Dafla	1105	16782
9 Paite	1564	18612
10 Thado	1769	24213
Family — Unclassified		
11 Parsi-Bhumij	4754	4754
IV		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bihari	6459	14940

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
2 Haijong/Hajong	8853	8858
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
3 Deori	9092	9103
4 Koch	7236	7698
5 Kuki-Unspecified	5044	27837
6 Lakher	9531	9531
7 Pawi	6866	6866
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Jaintia	14661	14673
2 Munda-Unspecified	89799	167159
3 Pnar/Synteng	55069	55113
4 Santali	67262	3130829
Family — Dravidian		
5 Maria	11454	65371
Family — Indo-Aryan		
6 Bishunpuriya	15169	15182
7 Chakma	17698	40071
8 Sadan/Sadarl	20468	532733
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
9 Dimasa	32007	32507
10 Hmar	10153	25530
11 Kachari	64421	65259
12 Lalung	10576	10576
13 Manipuri / Meithei	89053	621244
14 Mishing	33402	33410
15 Naga-Unspecified	12392	33333

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
16 Rabha	38038	44400
17 Reang	12011	65004
VI		
Family — Austric		
1 Khasi	280739	289650
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Assamese	6784271	6803463
3 Bengali	2061533	33754408
4 Nepali	215213	525284
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
5 Bodo/Boro	280343	286339
6 Garo	301108	307026
7 Mikir	154232	154786
8 Miri	102920	103188
9 Lushai/Mizo	215667	221985

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BIHAR

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family Indo-Aryan		
1 Chero	1	1
2 Kanauji	5	11
Family — Unclassified		
3 Bakhli	5	5
4 Ghanjhari	4	4
5 Kamat	2	2
6 Karwali	2	2
II		
Family — Austric		
1 Birhor	271	590
2 Kamari – Santali	903	903
3 Kisan – Santali	41	41
4 Lohara	293	293
5 Lohari – Santali	130	130
6 Manjhi	754	2296
Family — Dravidian		
7 Andhra	8	30

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
8 Awadhi	573	528281
9 Banarasi	18	37
10 Bhatiari	430	430
11 Chhika Chhiki	547	547
12 Gorakhpuri	164	221
13 Mogheria	31	31
14 Muzaffarpuria	63	63
15 Purbi Maithili	40	40
16 Sambhalpuri	18	18
17 Tanti	100	100
Family — Unclassified		
18 Brain	6	6
19 Bucher	63	63
20 Domali	112	112
21 Hara	37	37
22 Kalahari	7	7
23 Kauri	7	7
24 Kotaran	6	6
25 Malari	10	10
26 Naiya	71	71
27 Nati	108	230
28 Pali	16	93
29 Parhaiya	397	397
30 Saharasabadi	660	660
31 Samaria	407	407
III		
Family — Austric		
1 Asuri	3781	4540
2 Birjia / Brijia / Binjhia	1506	2391
3 Koda / Kora	2599	13277
4 Korwa	3768	16286

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
5 Bhagalpuri	1288	1288
6 Bilaspuri	2272	2875
7 Braj Bhasha / Braj Bhakha	1142	76189
8 Dharampuria	1033	1033
9 Kurmali Thar	1053	1068
10 Tirahutiya	1137	1140
Family — Unclassified		
11 Gawari	4666	4666
12 Kol	4364	64465
13 Madrasi	1930	6135
IV		
Family — Austric		
14 Mahili	9380	19697
Family — Indo-Aryan		
15 Anga	5598	5598
16 Chhattisgarhi	8675	2962038
17 Tamaria	5043	5045
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Bhumij	38457	131258
2 Karmali	66005	90849
3 Kharia	96016	171269
4 Thar	15540	15595
Family — Dravidian		
5 Malo	88631	88645
6 Malto	88631	88645

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
7 Kishanganjia	55597	55597
8 Nagapuri Eastern Magahi	93391	93391
9 Nepali	29282	525284
10 Panchpargania	57947	57947
11 Surajpuri	26947	28092
Famliy — Austric		
1 Ho	444775	648066
2 Mundari	574482	736524
3 Santali	1582016	3130829
Family — Dravidian		
4 Kurukh/Oraon	548648	1132931
Family — Indo-Aryan		
5 Bengali	1164041	33754408
6 Bhojapuri	7842722	7964755
7 Hindi	20567755	123025489
8 Khortha / Khotta	232267	283661
9 Magahi / Magadhi	2818492	2818602
10 Maithili	4982615	4984811
11 Oriya	302951	15610736
12 Sadan / Sadari	365752	532733
13 Urdu	4149245	23323047

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DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Firangi	3	5
Family — Unclassified		
2 Dati	2	2
3 Kristi	1	1
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Naiki-Kolami	8	8
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Chamari	241	2225
3 Katkari	294	4951
4 Koli	183	232
Family — Unclassified		
5 Koldi	53	53
III		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Dhodia	4046	30571

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
IV		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Kokna / Kokni / Kukna	7486	84776
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Varli	29832	45605
VI — Nil		

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DELHI

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Bijapuri	2	2
2 Kallar	1	1
3 Kerala	4	4
4 Travankorian	1	1
Family — Indo-Aryan		
5 Burgaza	3	3
6 Jabalpuri	1	1
7 Kamargam	1	1
8 Kashali	1	1
9 Kidki	2	2
10 Laheda	1	1
11 Lande	2	5
12 Manhali	1	1
13 Mundi	2	2
14 Nangeli	1	1
15 Pakistani	4	6
16 Ramgarhiya	1	1
17 Songani	1	1
18 Tibia	1	1
Family — Unclassified		
19 Agsula	1	1
20 Ashai	1	1

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
21 Chage	1	1
22 Derasmati	1	1
23 Dhallu	1	1
24 Dulai	1	1
25 Labanic	2	2
26 Lungandeu	4	4
27 Shone	3	3
28 Umarpala	2	2
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Karnataka	17	75
Family Indo-Aryan		
2 Almori	17	24
Family — Unclassified		
3 Christian	29	29
4 Kikaya	6	6
5 Mioli	6	6
III, IV, V and VI	NIL	

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GOA, DAMAN AND DIU

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I — Nil		
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Malhar	22	77
III, IV, V — NIL		
VI		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Konkani	556557	1337134

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GUJARAT

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Mysore	1	1
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Bavchi	2	3
3 Bhopali	3	3
4 Dakshini	2	1
5 Kshatriya-Gujarati	1	1*
6 Ravli	1	1
7 Sorathi	1	1
8 Talavia	5	5
Family — Unclassified		
9 Damal	1	1
10 Khalpa	1	1
11 Kigoi	1	1
12 Koshti – Bundeli	5	5
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
13 Tumbal	1	1

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Andhra	17	30
2 Kongkoi	6	6
3 Karnataka	25	75
Family — Indo-Aryan		
4 Adivasi Bhili	7	7
5 Islami	124	124
6 Jesalmeri	9	9
7 Kathodi	911	1611
8 Katkari	389	4951
9 Koli Gujarati	19	19
10 Mahar	18	18
11 Marwari Gondi	28	28
12 Padvi	173	176
13 Pingal	21	52
14 Tirbandi	20	20
15 Walvi	465	595
Family — Unclassified		
16 Chhari	93	93
17 Khorpi	11	11
18 Makrani	34	34
III		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Ahirani	4967	363780
2 Jadeji	2410	2411
3 Kolchi	1004	1004
4 Kotvali	2694	2794
5 Naikadi	1182	1494
IV — Nil		

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Chodhari	59724	59732
2 Dangi	60580	60584
3 Dhodia	26459	30571
4 Gamiti / Gavti	37995	38168
5 Kokna / Kokni / Kukna	39890	84776
6 Mawchi	13353	42837
7 Rajasthani	23689	804274
8 Varli	15627	45605
9 Vasava	12679	12905
Family — Unclassified		
10 Bhilodi	59243	59243
VI		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Kachchhi	341660	392249
2 Gujarati	18671562	20105846

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HIMACHAL PRADESH

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Ad Dharmi	1	1
2 Babar Pahari	4	4
3 Babri	4	2
4 Bagalyoni	5	5
5 Bhagali	1	1
6 Bhagri Pahari	1	1
7 Bhajer	1	1
8 Bhateali Chamba	5	5
9 Chamba Pahari	3	3
10 Chameali Hindi	2	2
11 Chaupali	2	2
12 Dhamyani	1	1
13 Dharampuri Pahari	2	2
14 Goyali	1	1
15 Gurdaspuri Pahari	3	3
16 Hindi Mahlogi	2	2
17 Kanauri Hindi	1	1
18 Kashmiri Hindi	2	2
19 Kotgarhi	1	1
20 Kumhar Saini	2	2
21 Kunihari Pahari	3	3
22 Layalpuri	5	5
23 Mangali	1	1
24 Nepali Hindi	1	1
25 Nurpuri	1	1
26 Pachhimi Hindi Pahari	5	5
27 Pahari Almorah	1	1

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakesr*
28 Pahari Kotkhai	1	1
29 Patiali Pahari	1	1
30 Pondri	2	2
31 Sadhori	3	3
32 Saharanpuri	1	1
33 Sodochi	5	5
34 Soracholi	2	2
35 Tara Dev – Pahari	2	2
36 Theogi Pahari	1	1
37 Tinauli	3	3
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
38 Baudh	2	2
39 Pahari Chamang	1	1
40 Samchu	4	4
Family — Unclassified		
41 Badhri	1	1
42 Baliyani	1	1
43 Bangarni	2	2
44 Banthali	4	4
45 Basti	2	2
46 Bhali	1	1
47 Biyogi	1	1
48 Dunavi Pahari	1	1
49 Gavari	1	1
50 Hali	1	1
51 Jamthali	2	2
52 Jawali Pahari	3	3
53 Jogsani	4	4
54 Kaisid	2	2
55 Kamadum	2	2
56 Kandri	1	1
57 Kawami	1	1
58 Khampa	1	1

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
59 Kunali	1	1
60 Langu	1	1
61 Mahaswali	4	4
62 Malsam Pahari	1	1
63 Melashi	2	2
64 Muslim Pahari	1	1
65 Nasang ki boli	3	3
66 Pahari Tikkari	1	1
67 Parchinari	2	2
68 Pathlu/Pahari	1	45
69 Patsani	1	1
70 Surali	2	2
71 Varanciti	1	1

II

Family — Indo-Aryan

1 Arki Pahari	11	11
2 Baghli Pahari	69	69
3 Balsani Pahari	7	7
4 Bangala	21	21
5 Bansbali	970	970
6 Bansyari	359	359
7 Barad	64	64
8 Bashahri	280	317
9 Bhateali Bharmauri	6	6
10 Bhateali Gadi	32	32
11 Bhateali Hindi	293	293
12 Bugluyani	8	8
13 Churahi Gadi	14	14
14 Dogri Hindi	14	14
15 Gadi Hindi	19	19
16 Handuri	138	138
17 Hindi Mandeali	496	496
18 Hindi Punjabi	32	32
19 Hoshiarpuri	85	85

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
20 Jammuwal Gojri	7	7
21 Jamuali	421	758
22 Jamuali Hindi	14	14
23 Jubbali	190	358
24 Kangari Pahari	908	908
25 Kashmiri Pahari	57	57
26 Kunthali	133	133
27 Kuthari	27	28
28 Kutiali Pahari	22	22
29 Mahajani – Western Pahari	53	53
30 Nalagarhi	7	7
31 Pachhimi Hindi	942	942
32 Pahari Dehradun	25	25
33 Pahari Punjabi	24	24
34 Pahari Suketi	168	168
35 Pahari U.P.	203	203
36 Peshawhari	67	233
37 Purbi	131	5264
38 Rampuri	7	7
39 Rohtaki	8	8
40 Simla Pahari	32	32
41 Sirmauri Hindi	107	107
42 Solan Pahari	6	6
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
43 Chini Pahari	9	9
44 Jangi	119	119
45 Spiti	18	33
46 Zanskari	6	6
Family — Unclassified		
47 Balauri	52	52
48 Banspuri	66	66
49 Basauli	238	238
50 Kangilu	14	14

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
51 Manduri Pahari	21	21
52 Ning	16	16
53 Pahari Kiru	21	21
54 Uttari Pahari	10	10
III		
Family —Indo-Aryan		
1 Baghati	3976	3976
2 Dogri	1095	879748
3 Gadi Chameali	1098	1098
4 Gujjari	4927	5137
5 Kashmiri	3501	1914446
6 Suketi	4901	4906
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
7 Lahuli of Chamba	3021	3021
Family — Unclassified		
8 Sohali	1576	1576
IV		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Hindi Pahari	5741	5741
2 Kangri	6078	7808
3 Mahlogi	5093	5093
4 Panjwali	8183	8195
Family — Tibeto–Chinese		
5 Tibetan	6173	33931
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bhateali	31922	31922

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
2 Bilaspuri / Kahluri	27223	27229
3 Chameali	43668	43690
4 Churahi	43748	43748
5 Mahasu Pahari	25668	25668
6 Pacchimi Pahari	55327	55327
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
7 Kanauri	28149	28495
VI		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Mandeali	226408	227347
2 Pahari-Unspecified	463437	947416
3 Sirmauri	111385	111385

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JAMMU AND KASHMIR

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family Indo-Aryan		
1 Rajputi	1	1
Family — Tibeto-Chinise		
2 Askardi	1	1
3 Champa	1	1
Family — Unclassified		
4 Chetori	2	2
5 Jord	1	1
6 Kalwi	1	1
7 Kumadri	1	1
8 Logli	2	2
9 Mehari	4	4
10 Yagistani	4	4
11 Yarkandi	4	4
II		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bhalesi	175	175
2 Brokpa	544	544
3 Bunjawali	550	550
4 Chilasi	82	82

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
5 Dakini/Musalmani	172	250
6 Gilgiti	76	76
7 Kaghani	152	152
8 Kohistani	81	81
9 Mirpuri	98	98
10 Shina	856	856
Family — Unclassified		
11 Bahathi	52	52
12 Bhali	115	116
13 Bilni	10	10
14 Boria	208	208
15 Darwi	88	88
16 Desbadi	388	388
17 Deshi	234	236
18 Deswayi	616	616
19 Khasal	778	778
20 Khasbodi	7	7
21 Ladhri	230	230
22 Madwali	30	30
23 Marajee	16	16
24 Ordial	13	13
25 Pathlu	44	45
26 Punjwali	12	12
27 Rowdhari	531	531
28 Tilali	53	53
29 Zindhari	63	63
III		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bharmauri/Gaddi	1832	56226
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
2 Budhi	2763	2764

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Unclassified		
3 Sarodi	1354	1354
IV		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Dardi	6998	6998
2 Padari	6305	6359
3 Poguli	9508	9508
Family — Unclassified		
4 Bakerwali	5941	5941
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bhadrawahi	33318	33533
2 Kishtwari	11632	11633
3 Punchi	12710	12710
4 Siraji Kashmiri	19978	19978
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
5 Balti	33458	33570
6 Ladakhi	49950	50146
VI		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Dogri	869199	879748
2 Gojri	209327	209327
3 Kashmiri	1896149	1914446
4 Pahari – Unspecified	232875	947416

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KERALA

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Kumbar	4	4
Family — Unclassified		
2 Ahenai	1	1
3 Anharic	1	1
4 Bhadruvali	1	1
5 Dalue	1	1
6 Fugian	1	1
7 Gorhathi	1	1
8 Gusara	1	1
9 Naltis	1	1
10 Muttari	1	1
11 Patani	1	1
12 Taharine	1	1
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Adi Dravida	95	95
2 Karandi	37	37
3 Nagari – Malayalam	161	161
4 Oda	10	10
5 Roman – Malayalam	6	6
6 Vettua	9	9

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
7 Gouda Saraswata	11	29
8 Mahl / Maldivian	95	4563
9 Moopan	473	473
Family — Unclassified		
10 Diwhe	7	7
11 Kavara	36	36
III		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Chettibhasha/Konkani	4613	1346*
IV		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Kudubi	6840	7840
V		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Tulu	68190	934849
VI		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Malayalam	16065468	16994919
2 Tamil	527613	30465442

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I and II	**NIL**	
III		
Family — Indo – Aryan		
1 Mahl/Maldivian	3984	4563
IV, V and VI	**NIL**	

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MADHYA PRADESH

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Betuli	5	5
2 Dhedi	5	5
3 Domra	5	5
4 Kanauji	3	11
5 Nagwanshi	5	5
6 Saheria	1	1
7 Towragarhi	4	4
Family — Unclassified		
8 Bhadauri	1	1
9 Rakchhai	4	4
II		
Family — Austric		
1 Agaria	98	98
2 Birhor	307	590
3 Dhelki	58	58
4 Jangali-Korwa	35	35
5 Kherwari	233	647
6 Koraku	53	53
7 Mankari	606	1081
8 Nihali	478	1167
9 Turi	270	1562

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Dravidian		
10 Dhanwari	23	23
11 Holiya	778	3093
12 Kalari	603	47*
13 Kokadi	17	17
14 Konda	630	12298
15 Malabar	108	472
16 Nagarchi	74	74
17 Sauria	30	31
Family — Indo-Aryan		
18 Adkuri	450	450
19 Awadhi	887	528281
20 Bachadi	276	276
21 Bahawalpuri	352	640
22 Balai	22	45
23 Banarsi	12	37
24 Bhuani	211	211
25 Bori	10	12
26 Byadha	49	49
27 Charani	172	192
28 Chitodi	14	22
29 Derawal	11	25
30 Dewar Boli	270	270
31 Gahora	52	52
32 Gangapari	171	171
33 Goanese	270	4320
34 Gondani	267	267
35 Gorakhpuri	57	221
36 Gurvi	10	10
37 Hatliya ki Bol	21	21
38 Jati	14	31
39 Jhamral	125	125

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
40 Jodhpuri	41	60
41 Kankeri	51	102
42 Kir	18	18
43 Kotali	231	455
44 Lodhanti	8	8
45 Lonari	104	104
46 Magari	21	21
47 Mahari	388	432
48 Maina	14	14
49 Mirzapuri	457	457
50 Naharih	108	108
51 Ojhi	775	1065
52 Panki	356	356
53 Paradhi	795	10153
54 Pinjari	87	93
55 Rajhari	706	706
56 Rajwari	74	81
57 Rangari	370	416
58 Regari	240	240
59 Rewapari	431	431
60 Sanskrit	384	2542
61 Sarwaria	13	13
62 Satnami	533	548
63 Uttari	12	12
Family — Unclassified		
64 Beldari	224	2702
65 Bhadri	11	11
66 Bharia	249	249
67 Chandari	306	306
68 Dangchagha	57	57
69 Ghasi	64	213
70 Ghati	45	57
71 Gorila	40	40
72 Gujari	453	1911
73 Gwalri	57	57

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
74 Kalbeli	603	803
75 Kanjari	616	1810
76 Kuchbandhi	12	12
77 Madari-Nati	21	21
78 Mahakuri	14	14
79 Mahto	7	7
80 Meghwali	38	38
81 Moghia	71	88
82 Nati	122	230
83 Nehara	26	26
84 Odki	158	158
85 Pahalwani	99	99
86 Pasi	26	28
87 Pathari	11	95
88 Sansi	116	467
89 Saperi	109	109
90 Saraiya	20	20
91 Servi	26	26
92 Shikari	283	283
93 Urmasha	42	42
III		
Family — Austric		
1 Majhi-Korwa	1339	1339
Family — Dravidian		
2 Dhangri	1791	4377
3 Golari	2591	2591
Family — Indo-Aryan		
4 Baigani	3723	3723
5 Bhulia	2704	2704
6 Binjhwari	1277	1279
7 Braj Bhasha / Braj Bhakha	3128	76189

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
8 Govari	1179	3993
9 Kathiyawadi	1680	2989
10 Khandeshi	3158	3692
11 Koshti Marathi	1885	27313
12 Mirgani	2250	2250
13 Pardesi	1924	32423
14 Purbi	2293	5264
15 Surgujia	1929	3093
Family — Unclassified		
16 Ahiri	1595	1595
17 Burgandi	1938	1938
18 Gorkhali	1874	17076
IV		
Family — Austric		
1 Muwasi	9827	9829
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Bihari	5754	14940
3 Katia	6412	6511
4 Pando	6322	6322
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Kharia	17338	171269
2 Korwa	11995	16286
Family — Dravidian		
3 Dhurwa	24641	24641
4 Dorli	35455	35455
5 Maria	22309	65371
6 Parasi — Gondi	14990	14990

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
7 Bharmauri/Gaddi	54239	56226
8 Bhatri	85048	85069
9 Bundel Khandi	20542	22065
10 Kamari	10502	10616
11 Lodhi	10491	27393
12 Marari	35650	37742
13 Marwari	73636	6242449
14 Parwari	59586	59586
15 Sadan/Sadari	56150	532733
Family— Unclassified		
16 Banjari	49287	591654
17 Muria	22030	22030
VI		
Family — Austric		
1 Korku	147807	208165
Family — Dravidian		
2 Gondi	1045986	1383321
Family — Indo-Aryan		
3 Baghelkhandi	553387	557034
4 Barel	173479	173479
5 Bhilali	349312	349312
6 Bhili	351749	769340
7 Chhatisgarhi	2937475	2962038
8 Halabi	293493	299660
9 Hindi	21686140	123025489
10 Malvi	905405	1142578
11 Marathi	860318	32767422
12 Nimadi	527091	528172
13 Oriya	304297	15610736
14 Sindhi	179858	977023

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MAHARASHTRA

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Kandra	4	4
2 Malekudi	2	2
3 Palwali	1	1
4 Pankhali	1	1
Family Indo – Aryan		
5 Baglani	2	2
6 Bhatkal	2	2
7 Dingal	5	9
8 Firangi	2	5
9 Mulki	1	1
10 Oswali	2	2
11 Sikalgari	4	533
12 Wani	3	3
13 Zoroastrian	4	4
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
14 Sham	1	1
Family — Unclassified		
15 Abhahaik	1	1
16 Adhuni	5	5
17 Adnis	3	3
18 Araji	2	2

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
19 Arukhati	1	1
20 Ascrini	3	3
21 Ashia	1	1
22 Bairagi	1	1
23 Balhapuri	3	3
24 Bangargi	2	2
25 Banor	2	2
26 Barai	2	2
27 Basali	1	1
28 Bask	1	1
29 Bhagwati	2	2
30 Bhamti	3	3
31 Bhangari	3	3
32 Bhigoli	1	1
33 Bhivadi	1	1
34 Bhuj	1	1
35 Bhunjia	1	1
36 Bojwar	1	1
37 Budali	1	1
38 Canthars	1	1
39 Chachi	1	1
40 Chaubar	3	3
41 Dichi	2	2
42 Dombari	5	10
43 Elonguria	1	1
44 Etawali	3	3
45 Fatma	1	1
46 Fernada	1	1
47 Gangasi	1	1
48 Ghemoli	1	1
49 Godhami	1	1
50 Guthara	1	1
51 Halvado	3	3
52 Hamar	1	1
53 Hardasi	4	4
54 Helgo	3	3
55 Kapati	3	3

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
56 Katwi	3	3
57 Khanali	1	1
58 Kharkhadi	1	1
59 Kosan	1	1
60 Kudu	1	1
61 Lalgi	1	1
62 Madgi	3	3
63 Mahajani	4	23
64 Makhiya	2	2
65 Malnuti	1	1
66 Mandakini	1	1
67 Mani	3	3
68 Mashan	1	1
69 Masti	1	1
70 Matrai	1	1
71 Momidomi	4	4
72 Mungi	5	5
73 Mylor	1	1
74 Narmadiya	3	3
75 Pohani	5	5
76 Pokrine	1	1
77 Rumail	2	2
78 Sanap	1	6
79 Sanku	1	1
80 Sarnarthi	4	4
81 Savaji	2	2
82 Siraji	1	2
83 Somali	1	1
84 Sungi	1	1
85 Surti	1	1
86 Taban	2	2
87 Talami	3	3
88 Tanjarvalngo	1	1
89 Tarane	1	1
90 Taroa	1	1
91 Tehri	1	1
92 Thakai	2	2

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Mother-tongues		*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
93	Thatwari	1	1
94	Tolar	5	5
95	Topi	1	1
96	Trimali	2	2
97	Trivedi	2	2
98	Tungo	1	1
99	Urani	1	1
100	Wakarali	1	1
101	Wall	2	2
102	Walmiki	3	3
103	Wandgiri	1	1
104	Zunwar	1	1
II			
Family — Austric			
1	Mankari	475	1081
2	Nihali	689	1167
3	Singali	7	7
Family — Dravidian			
4	Arava	108	242
5	Beradi	121	122
6	Gaiki	24	24
7	Golari–Kannada	274	307
8	Kamathi	142	153
9	Kashi–Kapadi	10	10
10	Kongar	19	902
11	Kuruba/Kurumba	637	8798
12	Ladhadi	305	305
13	Lingayati	49	49
14	Madurai	10	10
15	Malhar	54	77
16	Mangalorese	325	325
17	Nagli	19	19
18	Padmashali	16	16

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
19 Pardham	217	453
20 Pomla	41	41
21 Raj Gondi	335	335
22 Udipi	17	17
23 Vaidu	63	63
Family — Indo-Aryan		
24 Agari	8	8
25 Agarwali	9	15
26 Ardhmagadhi	19	19
27 Bahane	9	9
28 Bahawalpuri	171	640
29 Balai	23	45
30 Bhatia	185	
31 Bhoi – Marathi	114	114
32 Brahmani	34	36
33 Burdi	144	144
34 Chaurasi	407	436
35 Chinwari	8	8
36 Dakini/Musalmani	34	250
37 Darhi	8	8
38 Dhangari	186	186
39 Dhanki	375	375
40 Dhedgujari	48	48
41 Dhiwari	125	125
42 Doharahu	339	339
43 Dubli	12	14
44 Dungari	157	162
45 Gadariya	570	570
46 Gaoli	798	814
47 Gosavi	235	235
48 Gouda Saraswat	18	29
49 Halai	10	10
50 Hatakari	8	8
51 Jagannathi	224	1307
52 Jaini	967	1026

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
53 Jatki	84	84
54 Jhari	7	7
55 Kahari	674	738
56 Kandiali	24	26
57 Karhadi	15	15
58 Karwari	282	282
59 Kathodi	387	1611
60 Khandeshi	457	3692
61 Khoja	17	17
62 Khristy	12	12
63 Kirari	632	632
64 Koli	48	232
65 Kosari	249	249
66 Kotali	224	455
67 Kumbhari	262	271
68 Kunban	22	22
69 Lahnda	8	8
70 Lohari Marathi	49	49
71 Mahesri	209	209
72 Mahl/Maldivian	39	4563
73 Mali	969	969
74 Marli	11	11
75 Memani	588	708
76 Naikadi	312	1494
77 Naiki – Banjari	61	157
78 Ojhi	220	1065
79 Panchali	431	459
80 Patharwati	14	14
81 Patvi	37	37
82 Ranati	8	8
83 Rathauri	543	584
84 Rohidasi	11	11
85 Rohilkhandi	11	11
86 Sali	9	9
87 Saurashtri	114	114
88 Sonari	56	56
89 Takankari	9	9

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Mother-tongues		*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
90	Takari	101	101
91	Tamboli	142	142
92	Tanda	36	36
93	Tekari	249	249
94	Teli-Marathi	130	130
95	Warhadi	6	6
Family — Unclassified			
96	Alkari	11	11
97	Andhi	6	6
98	Bhagandi	65	65
99	Bhagnari	97	97
100	Bidichoras	21	21
101	Bukhari	8	8
102	Ceylonese / Simelu / Singhalese	108	847
103	Chhushmeni	7	7
104	Cushai	7	7
105	Dravidian	38	53
106	East Indian	7	7
107	Garpagari	7	7
108	Garudi	101	101
109	Gopal	134	134
110	Gurjara	303	303
111	Har	9	9
112	Kanjari	73	1810
113	Katgi	62	62
114	Khati	52	52
115	Khatri	822	822
116	Khuku	14	14
117	Kolhati	952	952
118	Ladi	94	94
119	Lamzali	22	22
120	Lazodi	485	485
121	Madari	281	281
122	Maltese	9	21
123	Maral	30	30

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
124 Moghia	17	88
125 Nandiwali	39	39
126 Pali	18	93
127 Panchrangi	6	6
128 Parki	15	15
129 Pathari	84	95
130 Pathisadi	10	10
131 Pilgar	17	17
132 Razali	9	9
133 Samishra	17	17
134 Sarsar	6	6
135 Shusha	11	11
136 Sonjhari	41	41
137 Umathi	6	6
138 Watankari	9	9
III		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Holiya	2315	3093
Family Indo-Aryan		
2 Chamari	1900	2225
3 Dhamdi	1560	1560
4 Ghisadi	1691	1776
5 Goanese	3567	4320
6 Govari	2787	3993
7 Halabi	4276	299660
8 Kalali	1797	1797
9 Kathiyawadi	1297	2989
10 Katkari	4264	4951
11 Kewati	3468	3468
12 Mathuri Banjari	2750	2750
13 Multani	1429	5760
14 Raghobansi	2484	2484
15 Tadavi	4097	4097

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
16 Thakri	4226	4226
Family — Unclassified		
17 Beldari	2478	2702
18 Rajputani	4846	4900
19 Tirguli	1000	1000
IV		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Kaikadi	8161	8456
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Bhoyari	5319	5388
3 Paradhi	8731	10153
4 Parsi	5088	5088
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Korku	60657	208165
Family — Dravidian		
2 Kolami	38822	46065
3 Maria	31608	65371
4 Vadari	16538	20654
Family — Indo-Aryan		
5 Chhattisgarhi	15848	2962038
6 Gujaru	24577	24577
7 Kachchhi	45576	392249
8 Kokna/Kokni/Kukna	37400	84776
9 Koshti Marathi	25409	27313

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
10 Lodhi	16902	27393
11 Mawchi	29484	42837
12 Pardesi	30499	32423
13 Pawari	38593	38593
14 Powari	64078	64078
15 Rajasthani	20044	804274
Family — Indo-European		
16 English	60423	223781
VI		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Gondi	347052	1383321
2 Kannada	629583	17305629
Family — Indo-Aryan		
3 Ahirani	358775	363780
4 Bhili	320717	769340
5 Gujarati	1067509	20105846
6 Konkani	210810	1337134
7 Marathi	30233034	32767422
8 Marwari	235339	6242449
9 Sindhi	295131	977023
10 Urdu	2725689	23323047
Family — Unclassified		
11 Banjari	242046	591654
12 Lamani/Lambadi	115557	679363

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MANIPUR

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Chongloi	2	2
2 Hangui	4	4
3 Indoi	3	3
4 Lhouvum	1	1
5 Tezang	2	2
6 Tidim	4	4
Family — Unclassified		
7 Lunkhul	1	1
8 Ngaite	2	2
9 Sengou	1	1
II		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Aimol	108	108
2 Baite	204	204
3 Hangseen/ Hansing	16	16
4 Khoirao	406	406
5 Kilong	10	10
6 Kipgen	77	77
7 Koirang	531	531
8 Lumhao	12	12
9 Mate	60	60
10 Moyon	647	647
11 Neisel	10	10

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
12 Purum	82	82
13 Ralte	80	170
14 Shongthu	15	15
15 Singson	24	24
Family — Unclassified		
16 Simni	69	69
III		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Anal	4868	4875
2 Chiru	1809	3059
3 Chote	1035	1035
4 Gangte	4856	4877
5 Haokeep / Haokup	2676	2676
6 Kacha Naga	4119	4119
7 Khongzai	4111	4111
8 Lamgang	1866	1866
9 Lemei	2728	2728
10 Liangmei	2887	2887
11 Lushai/Mizo	2746	221985
12 Maram	4928	4928
13 Monsnng/Mongsen	1342	1359
14 Simte	2818	2818
IV		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Kom	5477	5478
2 Maring	7745	7745
3 Paomata	7843	7843
4 Vaiphei	8215	8657
5 Zou	6761	6761

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
V		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Hmar	15365	25530
2 Kabui	16940	17360
3 Kuki – Unspecified	17792	27837
4 Mao	20967	21030
5 Paite	17029	18612
6 Rongmei	12729	12729
7 Thangkhul	43943	44020
8 Thado	22988	24213
VI		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Manipuri/Meithei	502838	621244

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MYSORE

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Unclassified		
1 Bomba	3	3
2 Chabeli	2	2
3 Chaperar	5	5
4 Ciol	1	1
5 Chow	2	2
6 Dombari	3	10
7 Gadal	1	1
8 Heirlese	1	1
9 Kansale	1	1
10 Kikiya	5	5
11 Kunija	1	1
12 Lagodu	3	3
13 Mandari – Kannada	3	3
14 Mullu	4	4
15 Mumbhara	2	2
16 Pargar	3	3
17 Phaktum	1	1
18 Saswari	3	3
19 Seema	1	1
20 Sellum	1	1
21 Servari	1	1
22 Shaja	1	1
23 Sinos	1	1
24 Somashag	1	1
25 Sonni	4	4
26 Sujathigar	1	1

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
27 Sunkarad	1	1
28 Tashwar	1	1
29 Tepali	1	1
30 Ujra	2	2
31 Uravan	3	3
32 Usthu	1	1
33 Vedakkali	1	1
34 Vaival	2	2
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Advichanchi	17	17
2 Arava	133	242
3 Budubudike	14	14
4 Dasari	22	26
5 Haran Shikari	191	191
6 Kadu Bhasha	688	688
7 Kongar	871	902
8 Koraga	192	192
9 Korama - Kannada	845	845
Family — Indo-Aryan		
10 Bahusar	355	387
11 Bangaru	57	115
12 Daldi	30	31
13 Hakkipikki	81	81
14 Jagannathi	290	1307
15 Nawait	697	749
16 Sikalgari	529	523
17 Ujaini	44	57
Family — Unclassified		
18 Chind	9	9
19 Devanagari	277	342

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
20 Karkarmundi	20	20
21 Konagar	7	7
22 Ladar	31	31
23 Mahajani	19	23
24 Nagar	28	28
25 Pali	40	93
26 Tandara	31	31
27 Tumbekaru	73	73
III		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Koracha	3467	3467
2 Korava	3594	5792
3 Vadari	3102	20654
Family — Indo-Aryan		
4 Saurashtra.	1009	157570
Family — Dravidian		
1 Kuruba/Kurumba	5434	8798
V		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Coorgi/Kodagu	78202	79172
2 Yerava	14926	14927
Family — Indo-Aryan		
3 Hindusthani	12330	122011
4 Kshatriya Marathi	15477	15477

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
VI		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Kannada	15361051	17305629
2 Malayalam	290586	16994919
3 Tamil	854227	30465442
4 Telugu	2044249	37642439
5 Tulu	850611	934849
Family — Indo-Aryan		
6 Konkani	491535	1337134
7 Marathi	1056498	32767422
Family — Unclassified		
8 Banjari	288012	591654

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NAGALAND

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Meluri-Rengma	4	4
2 Nokpu	1	1
3 Orangkong	5	5
4 Pangsha	1	1
Family — Unclassified		
5 Kaw	1	1
II		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Makware	769	769
2 Phelungre	252	252
2 Tabu	957	957
III		
Family — Tiebeto-Chinese		
1 Chiru	1175	3059
2 Kuki-Unspecified	3029	27837
3 Pochury	2736	2736
4 Poma	1504	1504
5 Tihkir	2486	2486
6 Wanch	2702	2713

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
IV		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Chaku	8339	8339
2 Khezha	7295	7324
3 Rengma	5786	5934
4 Shamnyuyangan	9461	9461
5 Zeliang	9460	9460
V		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Angami	33766	34431
2 Ao	55904	56385
3 Chakesang	10308	10308
4 Chang Naga	11328	11329
5 Khiemnungam	12434	12434
6 Konyak	46653	46701
7 Lotha	26565	26611
8 Naga – Unspcified	20030	33333
9 Phom	13385	13385
10 Sangtam	15508	15512
11 Sema	47439	47464
12 Yimchungre	10187	10187
VI – NIL		

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NEFA

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Koyri	2	2
2 Kully	2	2
3 Nagpuri	1	1
4 Pakistani	2	6
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
5 Girdu	1	1
6 Kaman	1	1
7 Moyol	4	4
8 Yora	2	2
Family — Unclassified		
9 Bakaton	1	1
10 Dehati	2	2
11 Deke	2	2
12 Hasang	1	1
13 Hungyo	4	4
14 Junkuku	1	1
15 Kokag	5	5
16 Konkari	5	5
17 Libo	4	4
18 Loasi	1	1
19 Mai	2	2
20 Mikum	3	3

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
21 Nasuka	1	1
22 Nazu	5	5
23 Padakhy	1	1
24 Pasoba	3	3
25 Rebuchebs	1	1
26 Sayeng	4	4
27 Siraji	1	2
28 Taiphakial	1	1
29 Tayeng	1	1
30 Temelly	3	3
II		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Jati	10	31
Family — Tbieto-Chinese		
2 Abor / Adi	19	19
3 Bhutani	196	1538
4 Digaru	100	100
5 Gazai	30	30
6 Khama	7	7
7 Khampti / Khamti	49	296
8 Kongbo	666	666
9 Konyo	14	14
10 Mishmi	210	279
11 Pailibo	720	720
12 Ramo	676	676
13 Tangbe	9	9
14 Tangsa	114	114
15 Tikhak	293	295
Family — Unclassified		
16 Nishang	10	10
17 Pempko	142	142

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
18 Poba	8	8
19 Pomo	18	18
20 Rakay	24	24
21 Riba	6	6
22 Reinsuni	20	20
23 Rohe	10	10
24 Rose	13	13
III		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Assamese	3638	6803463
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
2 Aka / Hrusso	2239	2302
3 Ashing	1160	1160
4 Bokar	2392	2392
5 Bori-Abor / Adi	1835	1835
6 Khamba	1110	1110
7 Memba	2431	2431
8 Milang	2428	2428
9 Pasi-Abor / Adi	1840	1840
10 Sherdukpen	1144	1144
11 Simong	3412	3412
12 Tibetan	3882	33931
Family — Unclassified		
13 Bangro	1657	1657
14 Mijiu	2079	2079
15 Sulung	1516	1516
IV		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Chulikata / Idu	7063	7063

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
2 Miju	7611	7611
3 Monpa	5408	5408
4 Padam	6988	6988
5 Pangi	5472	5472

V

Family — Tibeto-Chinese

1 Apatani	10793	10793
2 Bangni	14450	14450
3 Dafla	15676	16782
4 Gallong	29876	29876
5 Minyong	19523	19523
6 Nocte	19217	19287
7 Tagin	24055	24055

VI — Nil

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ORISSA

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I — Nil		
II		
Famliy — Austric		
1 Birjia/Brijia/Birijuia	803	2391
2 Parenga	767	767
Family — Indo-Aryan		
3 Dhelki – Oriya	320	320
4 Matia	236	236
III		
Family — Austri c		
1 Kisan Bhumij	4569	4569
2 Koda / Kora	2600	13277
Family — Dravidian		
3 Pengu	1254	1254
Family — Indo-Aryan		
4 Halabi	1886	299660
5 Jharia	2032	2055
6 Saunti	2117	2117

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
IV		
Family — Austric		
1 Mahili	5729	19697
2 Mirdha – Kharia	5822	5822
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Bhumij	91338	131258
2 Gadaba	31791	40193
3 Juang	15795	15795
4 Karmali	12311	90849
5 Kharia	50726	171269
6 Munda – Unspecified	24019	167159
Family — Dravidian		
7 Gondi	20087	1383321
8 Kisan	49316	50378
9 Konda	10930	12298
10 Koya	31052	140776
11 Parji	83914	84607
Family — Indo-Aryan		
12 Laria	45524	45524
Family — Unclassified		
13 Kol	58396	64465
VI		
Family — Austric		
1 Ho	203052	648066
2 Mundari	129110	736524
3 Savara	210981	265721

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Dravidian		
4 Kond/Kondh	144922	168027
5 Kui	510907	510907
6 Kurukh/Oraon	274379	1132931
Family — Indo-Aryan		
7 Oriya	14434887	15610736

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PONDICHERRY

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Unclassified		
1 Commanga	1	1
2 Gaunti	1	1
3 Kmer	4	4
4 Malantha	1	1
II		
Family — Unclassified		
1 Cutch	8	8
2 Sikhi	12	12

III, IV, V, VI – Nil

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PUNJAB

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Baliai	1	1
2 Bhopali	3	10
3 Chamrali	2	2
4 Changru	5	5
5 Chibhali	1	1
6 Jhanji	1	1
7 Kangali	1	1
8 Lahori	3	3
9 Lande	3	5
Family — Tibeto-Chinese	1	1
10 Kanashi		
Family — Unclassified		
11 Aia Alam	1	1
12 Bolti Zaban	2	2
13 Dwed Boli	1	1
14 Gohari	3	3
15 Jok-ri	2	2
16 Kalazan	1	1
17 Kanki	1	1
18 Kundh	1	1
19 Loasia	2	2
20 Mar	1	1

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
21 Neglo	1	1
22 Ramdasi	1	1
23 Rovabi	1	1
24 Sasi	1	1
25 Tandil	1	1
26 Tankera	1	1
27 Yahudi	1	1
II		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bagri	645	661
2 Bangaru	46	115
3 Bashahari	154	517
4 Bhattiani	8	8
5 Derawal	8	25
6 Deswali/Heriyani	850	3403
7 Hindko	160	162
8 Jatki – Punjabi	8	8
9 Kangri	733	7808
10 Odanwali	6	6
11 Pattani	11	11
12 Peshawari	153	233
13 Pothwari	10	11
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
14 Malani	562	562
15 Spiti	15	33
Family — Unclassified		
16 Canter	17	17
17 Jabakhri	8	8
18 Kantari	22	22
19 Karandgam	9	9
20 Mateli	40	40

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
21 Romar	7	24
22 Sairi	7	7
23 Sankara	22	34
III		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Baori	1099	2080
2 Multani	1399	5760
IV		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Dogri	5014	879748
2 Kashmiri	8124	1914446
3 Siraji – Inner Siraji	6859	6859
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Kului	49441	49859
2 Mewati	19764	48427
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
3 Lahuli	11412	11412
VI		
Family —Indo-Aryan		
1 Punjabi	8336787	9868279
2 Sindhi	233321	977023

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RAJASTHAN

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Dingal	4	9
2 Lashkari	3	3
3 Maharaj Shahi	3	3
II		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Ajmeri	575	580
2 Alwari	18	18
3 Baori	946	2080
4 Bharatpuri	239	246
5 Bikaneri	39	47
6 Bundelkhandi	900	22065
7 Chhekari	8	8
8 Dhanderi	13	13
9 Dhandi	327	327
10 Gadia Lohari	33	33
11 Gadoli	43	45
12 Godwari	130	136
13 Kankeri	42	102
14 Khandvi	22	22
15 Lohari – Rajasthani	338	338
16 Nagauri	24	32
17 Palvi	264	264
18 Pingal	31	52
19 Rajawati	73	73

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
20 Sipari	485	487
21 Thali	475	475
Family — Unclassified		
22 Narnoli	36	36
23 Rekhti	19	19
24 Sansi	351	467
III		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Deswali / Hariyani	2359	3403
2 Khanchiwari	4422	4422
3 Mejwari	3964	3964
4 Rathi	2860	2866
Family — Unclassified		
5 Kanjari	1109	1810
IV		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Kishangarhi	8608	8608
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Ahirwathi	21119	21119
2 Bhili	74214	769340
3 Braj Bhasha/Braj Bhakha	71659	76189
4 Gujarati	41833	20105846
5 Jaipuri	81214	81514
6 Mewati	28763	48427
7 Nagarchal	28560	28637
8 Shekhawati	22159	22160
9 Sondwari	58623	59433

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
VI		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bagri Rajastani	309267	309903
2 Dhundhari	1591825	1591826
3 Harauti	561006	561034
4 Khairari	111046	111050
5 Khari Boli	5989073	5989128
6 Malvi	236668	1142578
7 Marwari	5781846	6242449
8 Mewari	1819034	1853769
9 Punjabi	401115	9868279
10 Rajasthani	713357	804274
11 Wagdi	756709	756786

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TAMILNADU

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Austric		
1 Gora	1	1
Family — Dravidian		
2 Ekidi	4	4
3 Halian	2	2
4 Kaspar	—	8
5 Kasturi	—	9
6 Kattunaicken	1	1
7 Koduva	1	1
8 Konavar	2	2
9 Mallayakka	1	1
10 Mijai	—	1
11 Ottanmoli	2	2
12 Pallakkal	3	3
13 Theevari	2	2
14 Udaiyarmoli	4	4
15 Vallu Vamoli	3	3
Family — Indo-Aryan		
16 Kumki	2	2
Family — Unclassified		
17 Bithalanean	1	1
18 Prakrit	5	5

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
19 Sigitvia	1	1
20 Vaipaki	1	1
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Chetti Bhasha – Kannada	711	711
2 Karum Khatan	8	8
3 Kobashai	94	94
4 Korava	794	5792
5 Kosavan	41	41
6 Kota	862	862
7 Toda	760	760
8 Vadaga	235	235
Family — Indo-Aryan		
9 Balabandhu	916	1009
10 Balbangari	15	15
11 Kargoni	8	8
12 Khokili	13	13
13 Korlani	108	108
14 Kshatri	311	937
15 Mahajani Rajasthani	10	10
16 Nagari Marathi	16	16
Family — Unclassified		
17 Ceylonese / Simelu or Singhalese	448	847
18 Kurvikkaran	31	31
19 Madari Telugu	10	10
20 Maltese	9	21
21 Satrali	9	9
22 Sikari	29	29

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
III		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Irula / Iruliga	4095	4124
2 Kuruba / Kurumba	2666	8798
3 Montadenchetty	1690	1690
4 Naiki – Kuruba / Kurumba	1167	1167
5 Solaga Kannada	1931	1931
6 Urali	1073	1078
Family — Unclassified		
7 Lamani / Lambadi	3345	679363
IV		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Pania	5139	5221
V		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Badaga	85371	85463
Family — Indo-European		
2 English	34446	223781
VI		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Kannada	853211	17305629
2 Malayalam	399206	16994919
3 Tamil	28011099	30465442
4 Telugu	3363579	37642439

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo – Aryan		
5 Saurashtra	155392	157570

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TRIPURA

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Kok Barak	3	3
Family — Unclassified		
2 Fulnagri	2	2
3 Khattai	4	4
4 Kutal	2	2
5 Pahari – Brijia / Birijia /Binjihia	4	4
II		
Family — Austric		
1 Khasi	332	289650
2 Larka	32	32
Family Indo-Aryan		
3 Bhimchaura	129	129
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
4 Banshi	69	69
5 Bongcher	6	6
6 Burmese	230	2871
7 Chari Chong	213	213

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
8 Darlong	817	817
9 Karbong	72	72
10 Koch	334	7698
11 Mulsom	289	289
12 Murasing	22	22
13 Rangkhol	550	1517
14 Saimal	41	41
Family — Unclassified		
15 Benjaua	229	229
16 Bhim	229	229
17 Bhuiya / Bhuyan	10	10
18 Fulmali	10	10
19 Ganju	17	19
20 Ghasi	124	213
21 Gowala	16	16
22 Gur	192	192
23 Jhara	91	121
24 Kuli	138	138
25 Manaki	13	13
26 Mura	513	513
27 Nuniya	41	57
28 Paik	8	8
29 Rajbhar	16	16
30 Ranchi	78	278
31 Uchai	768	768
III		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Kaipang	1977	1977
2 Kalai	2050	2050
3 Lushai / Mizo	2941	221985
4 Mursum	4486	4486
5 Noatia	4468	4468
6 Rupini	2028	2028

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
IV		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Garo	5458	307026
2 Halam	5481	5481
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Chakma	22361	40071
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
2 Jamatia	14522	14522
3 Manipuri / Meithei	27940	621244
4 Mogh	10304	10424
5 Reang	52993	65004
VI		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Tripuri	211883	215626

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UTTAR PRADESH

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Agrawali	2	2
2 Ahiri Hindi	4	4
3 Dondiyali	1	1
4 Kunkhardong	5	5
5 Wai Ala	1	1
Family — Unclassified		
6 Bavari	1	1
7 Dakhuria	2	2
8 Darchini	2	2
9 Ghazipuri	1	1
10 Karai	2	2
11 Kurmi-Hindi	1	1
12 Mughalia	4	4
13 Qustash	2	2
14 Riyasati	1	1
15 Roman-Hindi	3	3
16 Swadeshi	1	1
17 Vedic	1	1
18 Vedpali	1	1
II		
Family — Dravidian		
1 Dhangri	761	4377

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Indo-Aryan		
2 Binhari	14	14
3 Goodi	9	9
4 Himachali	505	596
5 Jubbali	168	358
6 Kangri	926	7808
7 Mainpuri	11	11
8 Majhawari	7	7
9 Muria–Hindi	167	167
10 Nainitali	21	21
11 Pashchimi	123	123
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
12 Banbhasha	7	7
13 Bhutani	183	1538
14 Jad	297	306
15 Jangali	12	13
16 Marchha	470	470
17 Rawati	91	91
Family — Unclassified		
18 Alanic	6	6
19 Baisali	81	81
20 Bengani	8	8
21 Cherwani	10	10
22 Indian	22	22
23 Johari	8	8
24 Kandi	16	16
25 Purnea	6	6
26 Tolcha	6	6
III		
Family Indo – Aryan		
1 Purbi	2705	5264
2 Sanskrit	1330	2542

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
Family — Unclassified		
3 Gujari	1448	1911
IV		
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
1 Bhotia – Unspecified	7995	29371
V		
Family — Indo-Aryan		
1 Bharati	20116	20118
2 Jaunsari	53957	554122
3 Nepali	69118	525284
4 Tharu	11176	11176
Family — Unclassified		
5 Gorkhali	10237	17076
6 Gurmukhi	72011	130772
VI		
Family— Indo-Aryan		
1 Awadhi	526801	528281
2 Bhojpuri	120119	7964755
3 Garhwali	796880	809746
4 Hindi	62442721	123025489
5 Hindustani	100530	122011
6 Kumauni	1028089	1030075
7 Pahari – Unspecified	248089	947416
8 Punjabi	345281	9868279
9 Urdu	7891710	23323047

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WEST BENGAL

Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
I		
Family — Austric		
1 Lodha	5	5
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
2 Kami	5	5
Family — Unclassified		
3 Adibhasha Nagesia	2	2
4 Baha	2	2
5 Baiti	5	5
6 Banari	5	5
7 Bohoe	3	3
8 Deshi	2	2
9 Gosai	2	2
10 Jhalo malo	4	4
11 Ksarwar	1	1
12 Madan	5	5
13 Malmaja	5	5
14 Metali	2	2
15 Mita	1	1
16 Morma	3	3
17 Nagabanshi	5	5
18 Nagi	2	2
19 Neof	2	2
20 Parui	3	3

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
21 Pasi	2	28
22 Ranat	2	2
23 Swani	3	3
24 Tebag	5	5
25 Tharu–Awadhi	3	3
26 Thatma	4	4
27 Votga	6	6
II		
Family — Austric		
1 Asuri	757	4540
2 Gayari	16	16
3 Kherwari	280	647
4 Kurmi	272	351
5 Manjhi	208	2296
Family — Dravidian		
6 Kisan–Kurukh/Oraon	102	102
7 Koraputi	153	153
8 Malabar	282	472
Family — Indo-Aryan		
9 Barik	864	864
10 Bhuiya/Bhuiyah — Oriya	434	434
11 Bhumijali	35	35
12 Bilaspuri	424	2875
13 Dehari	18	18
14 Deswali	363	427
15 Gorh	131	131
16 Gouriya	251	251
17 Lohari–Kurukh/Oraon	707	707
18 Lohari–Malpahari	27	27
19 Murari	16	16

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
20 Mushahar	159	159
21 Naiki Banjari	90	157
22 Tasti	143	143
23 Utkali	472	476
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
24 Adibhasha–Bhotia	26	26
25 Arakanese	16	16
26 Burmese	242	2871
27 Dhimal	11	11
28 Kagate	44	44
29 Kawri	6	6
30 Khambu	25	25
31 Lama	42	59
32 Limbu	335	5418
33 Mangari	557	1136
34 Mru	48	48
35 Newari	11	284
36 Rai	348	3313
37 Saibya	109	1093
38 Sunwar	277	297
39 Toto	383	383
Family — Unclassified		
40 Adim	24	24
41 Adivasi	68	68
42 Baisiya	27	27
43 Barjaian	28	28
44 Beriya	126	144
45 Bhagat	211	211
46 Bhangra	31	31
47 Bhogta	20	20
48 Bhutnagri	145	145
49 Chamaiya	14	14
50 Coor	72	72

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
51 Gabaro	85	85
52 Ganga	151	151
53 Ghatwal	119	124
54 Gulgulia	20	20
55 Jhara	30	121
56 Kardhani	8	8
57 Kashj	14	14
58 Khansi	20	20
59 Kol	938	64465
60 Kolkamar	208	208
61 Konai	10	10
62 Konwar	45	45
63 Lohari	116	116
64 Lohari Munda	123	123
65 Mahato	45	45
66 Malgiri	37	37
67 Mandi	9	9
68 Mirdha-Koda/Kora	76	76
69 Muchi	415	415
70 Nunia	16	57
71 Paschima	8	8
72 Pasma	14	14
73 Proja	14	14
74 Rajghar	44	44
75 Rak	382	382
76 Ranthia	13	13
77 Rasmiati	27	27
78 Ratiya	7	7
79 Rishi	8	8
80 Roman	13	24
81 Sankara	12	34
82 Sardari	9	9
83 Sasna	22	22
84 Sudia	439	439
85 Taroni	16	16
86 Teli	19	19
87 Tewari	23	23

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
88 Totoja	47	47
89 Udangmudriya	46	46
90 Uhando	19	19
91 Uhorb	10	10
92 Upbhasha	489	489
93 Votga	6	6
III		
Family — Austric		
1 Mahili	4422	19697
2 Paharia	2287	2287
3 Turi	1093	1562
Family — Dravidian		
4 Adibhasha–Kurkh/Oraon	2101	2101
5 Dhangri	1096	4377
6 Nagesia	1483	1484
Family — Indo-Aryan		
7 Maithili	1084	4984811
8 Nagari–Hindi	3043	6731
Family — Tibeto-Chinese		
9 Bhutani	1089	1538
10 Dukpa	1089	1116
11 Sherpa	2159	16173
12 Tamang	3435	4939
Family — Unclassified		
13 Adibhasha	4807	4807
14 Madrasi	1017	6135
15 Rahiya	1029	1029
16 Raj	1342	1342

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Mother-tongues	*No. of speakers*	*All India speakers*
IV		
Family — Austric		
1 Koda/Kora	7766	13277
Family — Dravidian		
2 Kolami	6101	46065
Family — Indo-Aryan		
3 Assamese	8297	6803463
4 Madhesi	6590	6590
5 Malpharia	7992	9077
Family — Tibeto–Chinese		
6 Bodo/Boro	5903	286339
7 Lepcha	8855	23706
8 Rabha	6101	44400
V		
Family — Austric		
1 Adibhasha–Munda	13140	13140
2 Karmali	12533	90849
3 Khaira	18325	18325
4 Munda–Unspecified	49411	167159
Family — Indo-Aryan		
5 Khortha/Khotta	51394	283661
6 Rajbangsi	18760	18762
Family — Indo-European		
7 English	39525	223781

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Family — Tibeto-Chinese			
8	Mech	10118	10203
VI			
Family — Austric			
1	Santali	1121447	3130829
Family — Dravidian			
2	Kurukh / Oraon	215636	1132931
Family — Indo-Aryan			
3	Bengali	29408246	33754408

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B. FAMILYWISE DISTRIBUTION OF MOTHER-TONGUES

I

Family —Indo-Aryan

1 Southern/Central Group
2 Singhalese Group
3 South Western Group
4 Central Southern Group
5 Northern Group
6 Central Western Group
7 North Western Group
8 Western Group
9 Eastern Group
10 Southern Group
11 Pahari Group
12 Central Group
13 Halabi Sub Group
14 Dardic Group
15 Unclassified Group

II

Dravidian

1 South Dravidian Group
2 Central Dravidian Group
3 North Dravidian Group
4 South Central Dravidian Group

III

Tibeto-Chinese

1 Kuki-chin Group
2 Naga Group

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3 Bhotia Group
4 NEFA Group
5 Himalayan Group
6 Burma Group
7 Bodo Group
8 Chin Group
9 Kachin Group
10 Siamese–Chinese Group
11 Pahari Group
12 Thado Group
13 Unspecified Group

IV

Austric

1 Khmer Nicobarese Group
2 Central Munda Group
3 Koraput Munda Group
4 East Munda Group
5 North Munda Group
6 South Munda Group
7 Kherwari Group
8 Munda Unspecified Group
9 Unclassified Group

V

Unclassified Mother-tongues

The mother-tongues in this section have been classified according to number of speakers on All-India level as follows:

A — 5 Speakers and below
B — 6 to 999 Speakers
C — 1,000 to 4,999 Speakers
D — 5,000 to 9,999 Speakers
E — 10,000 to 99,999 Speakers
F — 1,00,000 and above Speakers

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Indo - Aryan

SOUTHERN / CENTRAL GROUP

Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All Inida Speakers*	*Statewise*
E	1	Varli	45605	Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Gujarat

SINGHALESE GROUP

C	1	Mahl/ Maldivian	4563	Laccadive Minicoy Amindiv Islands, Kerala, Maharashtra

SOUTH–WESTERN GROUP

B	1	Sikalgari	533	Mysore, Maharashtra

CENTRAL SOUTHERN GROUP

C	1	Kewati	3468	Maharashtra

NORTHERN GROUP

B	1	Memami	708	Maharashtra

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CENTRAL WESTERN GROUP

Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
B	1	Khoja	17	Maharashtra

NORTH WESTERN

B	1	Balai	45	Maha. M. P.
B	2	Bhatia	185	Maha.
A	3	Chibhali	1	Punjab
B	4	Chinawari	8	Maha.
B	5	Jatki	84	Maha.
B	6	Lahnda	8	Maha.
A	7	Mulki	1	Maha.
D	8	Multani	5760	Maha., Punjab
B	9	Peshawari	233	Punjab, H. P.
F	10	Sindhi	977023	Maha., M. P., Punjab

WESTERN GROUP

B	1	Barad	64	H. P.
B	2	Bahawalpuri	640	M. P., Maha.
B	3	Derawal	125	M. P., Punjab
B	4	Hindko	162	Punjab
C	5	Jadiji	2411	Guj.
F	6	Kachchhi	392249	Guj., Maha.
B	7	Mirpuri	98	J and K.
B	8	Pothwari	11	Punjab
E	9	Punchhi	12710	J and K.
A	10	Songani	1	Delhi
A	11	Tinauli	3	H. P.

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EASTERN GROUP

Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
D	1	Anga	5598	Bih.
F	2	Assamese	6803463	Ass., W.B. NEFA
A	3	Baliai	1	Pun.
B	4	Banarasi	37	Bihar, M.P.
B	5	Barik	864	W.B.
F	6	Bengali	33754408	W.B., Ass, Bihar
C	7	Bhaglpuri	1288	Bihar
B	8	Bhatiaria	430	Bihar
E	9	Bhatri	85069	M. P.
F	10	Bhojpuri	7964755	Bihar, U.P.
B	11	Bhuya / Bhuyan–Oriya	434	W.B.
B	12	Bhunijali	35	W.B.
E	13	Bihari	14940	Assam. M. P.
E	14	Bishnupuriya	15182	Assam.
B	15	Chachadi	535	A. P.
E	16	Chakma	40071	Tripura, Assam
A	17	Chero	1	Bihar
B	18	Chhika Chhiki	547	Bihar
B	19	Dandasi	46	A.P.
B	20	Pehari	18	W.B.
C	21	Dharampuria	1033	Bihar
B	22	Dhelki – Oriya	320	Orissa
A	23	Pomra	5	M. P.
B	24	Gando	30	A. P.
B	25	Gorakhpuri	221	Bih., M. P.
B	26	Gorh	131	W. B.
A	27	Goyali	1	H. P.

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
D	28	Haijong/Hajong	8858	Assam
C	29	Jagannathi	1307	Mys., Maha.
C	30	Jharia	2055	Orissa
B	31	Kachari Bengal	371	Assam
B	32	Kalahandi	513	Assam
A	33	Kangali	1	Punjab
F	34	Khortha/Khotta	283661	Bihar, W. B.
E	35	Kishanganjia	55597	Bihar
A	36	Kully	2	NEFA
C	37	Kurmalithar	1068	Bihar
B	38	Lohari-Kurukh/Oraon	707	W. B.
B	39	Lohari-Malpharia	27	W. B.
D	40	Madesi	6590	W. B.
F	41	Magahi/Magadhi	2818602	Bihar
F	42	Maithili	4984811	Bihar, W.B.
B	43	Majhawari	7	U. P.
D	44	Malpharia	9077	W. B., Assam
B	45	Matia	236	Orissa
B	46	Mongheria	31	Bihar
B	47	Marari	16	W. B.
B	48	Mushahar	159	W. B.
B	49	Muzaffarpuria	63	Bihar
E	50	Nagpuri–Eastern Magahi	93391	Bihar
F	51	Oriya	15610736	Orissa, M. P. Bih.
C	52	Paidi	3967	A. P.
C	53	Paunidi	1228	A. P.
E	54	Panchpargania	57947	Bihar
A	55	Pandi	2	A. P.
B	56	Purbi Maithili	40	Bihar
E	57	Rajbangsi	18762	W. B.
D	58	Relli	5295	A. P.
B	59	Sabari	6	A. P.
F	60	Sadan/Sadri	532733	Bih., M. P., Assam.
B	61	Sambhalpuri	18	Bihar
B	62	Sarwarya	13	M. P.

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
C	63	Saunti	2117	Orissa
E	64	Surajpuri	28092	Bihar
B	65	Takam	29	Assam
B	66	Tanti	100	Bihar
B	67	Tasti	143	W. B.
B	68	Thoti	339	A. P.
C	69	Tirahutiya	1140	Bihar
B	70	Utkali	476	W. B.

SOUTHERN GROUP

B	1	Agari	8	Maha.
C	2	Are	2591	A. P.
B	3	Bahusar	387	Mys.
B	4	Bare	909	A. P.
C	5	Balabandhu	1009	T. N.
A	6	Bhandari	5	T. N.
A	7	Bhatkal	2	Maha.
B	8	Bhoi-Marathi	114	Maha.
B	9	Bombagga	9	And. and Nico.
B	10	Brahmani	36	Maha.
B	11	Burdi	144	Maha.
C	12	Chettibhasha-Konkani	1346	Kerala.
A	13	Dakhini	1	Guj.
B	14	Daldi	31	Mys.
B	15	Dahngari	186	Maha.
B	16	Dhedi	5	M. P.
B	17	Dhiwari	125	Maha.
B	18	Doharahu	339	Maha.
A	19	Firangi	5	Dadra and NH, Maha.
C	20	Goanese	4320	Maha, M. P.
B	21	Gosavi	235	Maha.
B	22	Gouda Prakrutha	23	A. P.
B	23	Gouda Saraswata	29	Maha, Ker.
C	24	Govari	3993	Maha, M. P.
B	25	Hakkipikki	81	Mys.

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B	29	Hatakari	8	Maha.
B	27	Inkari	732	A. P.
B	28	Jhari	7	Maha.
B	29	Jogi	10	A. P.
C	30	Kalali	1797	Maha.
E	31	Kamari	10616	M. P.
B	32	Kargoni	8	T. N.
B	33	Karwari	282	Maha,
C	34	Kathiyawadi	2989	M. P., Maha
C	35	Kaithodi	1611	Guj, Maha.
D	36	Katia	6511	M. P.
C	37	Katkari	4951	Maha, Dadra and N. H, Guj.
A	38	Kedhi	1	A.P.
B	39	Khokili	13	T.N.
B	40	Khristy	12	Maha.
B	41	Killikyati	18	A.P.
B	42	Koli	232	Dadra and N.H. Maha.
F	43	Konkani	1337134	Goa, Daman and Diu, Mys, Maha.
B	44	Korlani	108	T.N.
E	45	Koshti Marathi	27313	Mah, M.P.
D	46	Kudubi	7840	Kerala
B	47	Kumbhari	271	Maha.
A	48	Kumki	2	T.N.
B	49	Kumban	22	Maha.
B	50	Lohari-Marathi	49	Maha.
B	51	Louari	104	M.P.
A	52	Manhali	1	Delhi
F	53	Marathi	32767422	Maha. Mys., M.P.
B	54	Moopan	473	Kerala.
B	55	Nagari Marathi	16	T.N.
B	56	Nagpuri-Marathi	15	Assam
D	57	Natakani	5074	A.P.
B	58	Nawait	749	Mys.
E	59	Parvari	59586	M.P.

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B	60	Patharwati	14	Maha.
B	61	Rangareji	79	A.P.
B	62	Rangari	416	M.P.
B	63	Regari	240	M.P.
B	64	Rohidasi	11	Maha.
B	65	Sale	35	A.P.
B	66	Sali	9	Maha.
B	64	Seesakammari	8	A.P.
B	68	Souari	56	Maha.
B	69	Tamboli	142	Maha.
B	70	Tekari	249	Maha.
B	71	Teli-Marathi	130	Maha.
C	72	Taakri	4226	Maha.
A	73	Wani	3	Maha.
B	74	Warhadi	6	Maha.

PAHARI GROUP

A	1	Ad Dharmi	1	Himachal Pradesh
B	2	Almori	24	Delhi
B	3	Arki Pahari	11	H.P.
A	4	Babri	2	H.P,
A	5	Babar Pahari	4	H.P.
A	6	Bagalyoni	5	H.P.
C	7	Baghati	3876	H.P.
B	8	Baghli Pahari	69	H.P.
B	9	Balsani Pahari	7	H.P.
C	10	Bansbali	970	H.P.
B	11	Bansyari	355	H.P.
B	12	Bashahri	517	H. P., Punjab
E	13	Bhadrawahi	33533	J and K
A	14	Bhagali	1	H.P.
A	15	Bhagri Pahari	1	H.P.
A	16	Bhajer	1	H.P.
B	17	Bhaleṣi	175	J and K

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E	18	Bharmauri / Gaddi	56326	N.P., J and K.
B	19	Bhateali Bharmauri	6	H.P.
A	20	Bhateali Chamba	5	H.P.
B	21	Bhateali Gadi	32	H.P.
B	22	Bhateali Hindi	293	H.P.
B	23	Binhari	14	U.P.
B	24	Buglyani	8	H.P.
A	25	Chambe Pahari	3	H.P.
E	26	Chameali	43690	H.P.
A	27	Chanpali	2	H.P.
E	28	Churahi	43748	H.P.
B	29	Churahi Gadi	14	H.P.
B	30	Darhi	8	Maha.
A	31	Dhamyani	1	H.P.
A	32	Dharampuri Pahari	2	H.P.
F	33	Dogri	879748	J. and K., Punjab, H.P.
A	34	Dendiyali	1	U.P.
C	35	Gadi Chameali	1098	H.P.
F	36	Garhwali	809746	H.P.
B	37	Goodi	9	U. P.
B	38	Handuri	138	H. P.
B	39	Himachali	596	U. P.
F	40	Jaunsari	554122	U. P.
B	41	Jubbali	358	H. P., U. P.
A	42	Kamargam	1	Delhi.
B	43	Kangri Pahari	908	H. P.
B	44	Kashmiri Pahari	57	H. P.
B	45	Kiunthali	133	H. P.
A	46	Katgarhi	1	H. P.
E	47	Kului	49859	Punjab
A	48	Kunihari Pahari	3	H. P.
A	49	Kunkhardong	5	U. P.
B	50	Kuthari	28	H. P.
B	51	Kutigali Pahari	22	H. P.
A	59	Laheha	1	Delhi.
B	53	Mahajani-Western Pahari	53	H. P.

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E	54	Mahasu Pahari	25668	H. P.
D	55	Mahlogi	5093	H. P.
F	56	Mandeali	227347	H. P.
A	57	Mangali	1	H. P.
B	58	Nainiyali	21	U. P.
B	59	Nalagarhi	7	H. P.
F	60	Nepali	525284	Assam, U. P., Bihar
E	61	Pachhimi Pahari (Eastern Pahari)	55327	H. P.
D	62	Padari	6359	J. & K.
A	63	Pahari Almorah	1	H. P.
B	64	Pahari Dehra Dun	25	H. P.
A	65	Pahari Kothai	1	H. P.
B	66	Pahari Suketi	168	H. P.
F	67	Pahari-Unspecified	947416	H. P, U. P., J & K
B	68	Pahari	203	H. P.
D	68	Panjwali	8195	H. P.
B	70	Pashchimi	123	U. P.
A	71	Pondri	2	H. P.
A	72	Ramagarhiya	1	Delhi
B	73	Rampuri	7	H. P.
B	74	Simla Pahari	32	H. P.
D	75	Siraji – Inner Siraji	6859	Punjab
F	76	Sirmauri	111385	H. P.
A	77	Sodochi	5	H. P.
B	78	Solan Pahari	6	H. P.
A	79	Soracholi	2	H. P.
C	80	Suketi	4906	H. P.
A	81	Tara Dev-Pahari	2	H. P.
A	82	Thaper	1	A. P.
A	83	Theogi Pahari	1	H. P.

CENTRAL GROUP

B	1	Adivasi-Bhili	7	Gujarat
B	2	Agarwali	15	Maha. A.P.

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A	3	Agrawali	2	U.P.
F	4	Ahirani	363780	Maha. Guj.
A	5	Ahiri-Hindu	4	U.P.
E	6	Ahirwati	21119	Raj.
B	7	Ajmeri	580	Raj.
B	8	Alwari	18	Raj.
F	9	Awadhi	528281	UP, MP, Bih.
B	10	Bachadi	276	MP.
F	11	Baghelkhandi	557034	MP.
A	12	Baglani	2	Maha.
B	13	Bagri	661	Punj.
F	14	Bagri-Rajasthani	3099003	Raj.
B	15	Bahane	9	Maha.
C	16	Baigani	3723	MP.
B	17	Balbanagari	15	T.N.
B	18	Bangala	21	H.P.
B	19	Bangaru	115	Mys. Punj. Ass.
C	20	Baori	2080	Punj. Raj.
F	21	Barel	173479	M.P.
A	22	Bavchi	3	Guj.
A	23	Betuli	5	M.P.
F	24	Bharati	20118	U.P.
B	25	Bharatpuri	246	Raj.
E	26	Bhateali	31922	H.P.
B	27	Bhateali Hindi	293	H.P.
B	28	Bhattiani	8	Punj.
F	29	Bhilali	349312	M.P.
F	30	Bhili	769340	M.P. Maha. Raj.
B	31	Bhimchaura	129	Trip.
B	32	Bhopali	10	Guj., Punj.
D	33	Bhoyari	5388	Maha.
B	34	Bhuani	211	M. P.
C	35	Bhulia	2704	M. P.
B	36	Bikaneri	47	Raj.
C	37	Bilaspuri	2875	Bih., W. B.
E	38	Bilaspuri/Khaluri	27229	H. P.

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C	39	Binihwari	1279	M. P.
B	40	Boudili	210	A. P.
B	41	Bori	12	M. P.
E	42	Braj Bhasha/Braj Bhakha	76189	Raj., M. P., Bih.
E	43	Bundelkhandi	22065	M. P., Raj.
A	44	Burgaza	3	Delhi
B	45	Byadha	49	M. P.
C	46	Chamari	2225	Maha., Dadra and N. H.
A	47	Chameali Hindi	2	H. P.
A	48	Chamrali	2	Punj.
A	49	Changru	5	Punj
B	50	Charani	192	M. P.
B	51	Chaurasi	436	Maha.
F	52	Chattisgarhi	2962038	M. P., Maha., Bihar.
B	53	Chhekari	8	Raj.
B	54	Chitodi	22	M. P.
E	55	Chodhari	59732	Guj.
B	56	Dakini/Musalmani	250	J. and K., Maha.
E	57	Dangi	60584	Guj.
B	58	Deswali	427	W.B.
C	59	Deswali Hariani	3403	Raj. Punj.
B	60	Dewar Boli	270	M.P.
C	61	Dhamdi	1560	Maha.
B	62	Dhanderi	13	Raj.
B	63	Dhandi	327	Raj.
B	64	Dhanki	375	Maha.
B	65	Dhedgujari	48	Maha.
E	66	Dhodia	30571	Guj. Dadra and N.H.
F	67	Dhundhari	1591826	Raj.
B	68	Dingal	9	Maha. Raj.,
B	69	Dogri-Hindi	14	H.P.
B	70	Dubli	14	Maha.
B	71	Dungari	162	Maha.
B	72	Gaderia	570	Maha.
B	73	Gadia Lohari	33	Raj.

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B	74	Gadi-Hindi	19	H.P.
B	75	Gadoli	45	Raj.
B	76	Gahora	52	M.P.
E	77	Gamit / Gavti	38168	Guj.
B	78	Gangapari	171	M.P.
B	79	Gaoli	814	Maha.
C	80	Ghisadi	1776	Maha.
B	81	Godwari	136	Raj.
F	82	Gojri	209327	J and K.
B	83	Goudani	267	M.P.
B	84	Goolla	459	A.P.
B	85	Gouriya	251	W.B.
C	86	Gowro	4802	Ass.
F	87	Gujarati	20105846	Guj. Maha. Raj.
F	88	Gujaru	24577	Maha.
D	89	Gujjari	5137	H.P.
A	90	Gurdaspuri Pahari	3	H.P.
B	91	Garvi	10	M P.
F	92	Halabi	299660	M.P. Maha. Orissa
B	93	Halai	10	Maha.
F	94	Harauti	561034	Raj.
B	95	Hattiya Ki Bol	21	M.P.
F	96	Hindi	123025489	U.P. M.P. Bih
B	97	Hindi Mandeali	496	H.P.
A	98	Hindi Mehlogi	2	H.P.
D	99	Hindi Pahari	5741	H.P.
B	100	Hindi Punjabi	32	H.P.
F	101	Hindustani	122011	U.P. Mys.
B	102	Hoshiarpuri	85	H.P.
B	103	Islami	124	Guj.
A	104	Jabalpuri	1	Delhi
C	105	Jaini	1026	Maha.
E	106	Jaipuri	81514	Raj.
B	107	Jammuwal Gojri	7	H.P.
B	108	Jamuali	758	H.P.
B	109	Jamuali Hindi	14	H.P.

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B	110	Jati	31	M.P. NEFA
B	111	Jatki – Punjabi	8	Punj.
B	112	Jesalmeri	9	Guj.
B	113	Jhamral	125	M.P.
A	114	Jhangi	1	Punj.
B	115	Jodhpuri	60	M.P.
B	116	Kahari	738	Maha.
B	117	Kanauji	11	Bih. M.P.
A	118	Kanauri Hindi	1	H.P.
B	119	Kandiali	26	Maha.
D	120	Kangri	7808	H.P. U.P, Punj.
A	121	Kashali	1	Delhi
A	122	Kashmiri Hindi	2	H.P.
E	123	Khairari	111050	Raj.
C	124	Khanchi Wari	4422	Raj.
C	125	Khandeshi	3692	M.P. Maha.
B	126	Khandvi	22	Raj.
F	127	Khariboli	5989128	Ruj.
C	128	Khatri Saurashtra	1790	A.P.
A	129	Kidki	2	Delhi
B	130	Kir	18	M.P.
B	131	Kirani	632	Maha.
D	132	Kishangarhi	8608	Raj.
E	133	Kokna/Kokni/Kukna	84776	Dadra. and N.H. Guj. Maha.
C	134	Kokhi	1004	Guj.
B	135	Koli-Gujarati	19	Guj.
B	136	Kora-Banjari	29	A.P.
B	137	Kosari	249	Maha.
B	138	Kotali	455	Maha. M.P.
C	139	Kotvali	2794	Guj.
A	140	Koyri	2	NEFA.
B	141	Kshatri	937	A.P. Madras
A	142	Kshatriya-Gujarati	1	Guj.
E	143	Kshatriya-Marathi	15477	Mysore

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F	144	Kumauni	1030075	U.P.
A	145	Kumharsaini	2	H.P.
A	146	Lahori	3	Punj.
A	147	Lande	5	Punj. Delhi.
E	148	Laria	45524	Orissa.
A	149	Laskari	3	Raj.
A	150	Layalpuri	5	H.P.
B	151	Lodhanti	8	M.P.
E	152	Lodhi	27393	Maha. M.P.
B	153	Lohari-Rajasthani	338	Raj.
B	154	Magari	21	M.P.
B	155	Mahajani-Rajasthani	10	T.N.
B	156	Mahar	18	Guj.
A	157	Maharajshahi	3	Raj.
B	158	Mahesri	209	Maha.
B	159	Maina	14	M.P.
B	160	Mainpuri	11	U.P.
B	161	Mali	969	Maha.
F	162	Malvi	1142578	M.P. Raj.
E	163	Marari	37742	M.P.
B	164	Marli	11	Maha.
F	165	Marwari	6242449	Raj. Maha. M.P.
B	166	Marwari-Gondi	28	Guj.
C	167	Mathuri	2831	A.P.
C	168	Mathuri Banjari	2750	Maha.
E	169	Mawchi	42837	Maha. Guj.
A	170	Mehtar	3	A.P.
C	171	Mejwari	3964	Raj.
F	172	Mewari	1853769	Raj.
E	173	Mewati	48427	Raj. Punj.
C	174	Mirgani	2250	M.P.
B	175	Mirzapuri	457	M.P.
A	176	Mundi	2	Delhi
B	177	Muria-Hindi	167	U.P.
E	178	Nagarchal	28637	Raj.
D	179	Nagari-Hindi	6731	Ass. W.B.

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B	180	Nagauri	32	Raj.
A	181	Nagpuri	1	NEFA
A	182	Nagwanshi	5	M.P.
B	183	Nahari	108	M.P.
C	184	Naikadi	1494	Guj. Maha.
B	185	Naiki-Banjari	157	W.B. Maha.
A	186	Nangeli	2	Delhi.
B	187	Neelishikari	223	A.P.
A	188	Nepali Hindi	1	H.P.
E	189	Nimadi	528172	M.P.
A	199	Nurpuri	1	H.P.
B	191	Odanwali	6	Punj.
C	192	Oswali	1063	M.P. Maha.
C	193	Ojhi	1065	M.P. Maha.
B	194	Pachhimi Hindi	942	H.P.
A	195	Pachhimi Hindi Pahari	5	H.P.
B	196	Padvi	216	Guj.
B	197	Pahari Punjabi	24	M.P.
B	198	Pakistani	6	Del. NEFA.
B	199	Palvi	264	Raj.
B	200	Panchali	459	Maha.
D	201	Pando	6322	M.P.
B	202	Panki	356	M.P.
E	203	Pardhi	10153	Maha. H.P. A.P.
E	204	Pardesi	32423	Maha. M.P.
D	205	Parsi	5088	Maha.
A	206	Patiali Pahari	1	H.P.
C	207	Patkari	1287	A.P.
B	208	Pattani	11	Punj.
B	209	Patvi	37	Maha.
E	210	Pawri	38593	Maha.
B	211	Pingal	52	Raj. Guj.
B	212	Pinjari	93	M.P.
B	213	Pitala Bhasha	131	A.P.
E	214	Powari	64078	Maha.
F	215	Punjabi	9868279	Punj. Raj. U.P.

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D	216	Purbi	5264	U.P. M.P. H.P.
C	217	Raghobansi	2484	Maha.
F	218	Rajasthani	804274	Raj. Guj. Maha.
B	219	Rajawati	73	Raj.
B	229	Rajhari	706	M.P.
A	221	Rajputi	1	J. and K.
B	222	Rajwari	81	M.P.
B	223	Ranati	8	Maha.
B	224	Rathauri	584	Maha.
C	255	Rathi	2866	Raj.
A	226	Ravli	1	Guj.
B	227	Rewapari	431	M.P.
B	228	Rohilkhandi	11	Maha.
B	229	Rohtaki	8	H.P.
A	230	Saharanpuri	1	H.P.
A	231	Sadhori	3	H.P.
A	232	Saheria	1	M.P.
B	233	Satrami	548	M.P.
F	234	Saurashtra	157570	T.N. Mys. A.P.
B	235	Saurashtri	114	Maha.
B	236	Shekhawati	22160	Raj.
B	237	Sipari	487	Raj.
B	238	Sirmauri Hindi	107	H.P.
E	239	Sondwari	59433	Raj.
A	240	Sorathi	1	Guj.
C	241	Surgujia	3093	M.P.
C	242	Tadavi	4097	Maha.
B	243	Takankari	9	Maha.
B	244	Takari	101	Maha.
A	245	Talavia	5	Guj.
B	246	Tanda	36	Maha.
B	247	Thali	475	Raj.
E	248	Tharu	11176	U.P.
A	249	Tibia	1	Delhi
B	250	Tirbandi	20	Guj.
A	251	Towargarhi	4	M.P.

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B	252	Ujaini	57	Mys.
F	253	Urdu	23323047	U.P. Bih. Maha.
B	254	Uttari	12	M.P.
E	255	Vasava	12905	Guj.
F	256	Wagdi	756786	Raj.
B	257	Walvi	595	Guj.
A	258	Zoroastrian	4	Maha.

HALABI SUB-GROUP

B	1	Adkuri	450	M.P.

DARDIC GROUP

B	1	Brokpa	544	J. and K.
B	2	Bunjawali	550	J. and K.
B	3	Chilasi	82	J. and K.
D	4	Dardi	6998	J. and K.
B	6	Gilgiti	76	J. and K.
B	6	Kaghani	152	J. and K.
F	7	Kashmiri	1914446	J. and K. Punj. H.P.
A	8	Khowar	3	Assam.
E	9	Kishtwari	11633	J. and K.
B	10	Kohistani	81	J. and K.
D	11	Poguli	9508	J. and K.
B	12	Shina	856	J. and K.
E	13	Siraji-Kashmiri	19978	J. and K.
A	14	Wai Ala	1	U.P.

UNCLASSIFIED GROUP

B	1	Ardhamagadhi	19	Maha.
A	2	Bahe	4	Ass.
B	3	Kankeri	102	M.P. Raj.
B	4	Karhadi	15	Maha.
C	5	Sanskrit	2542	U.P. M.P.
D	6	Tamaria	5045	Bihar

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SOUTH DRAVIDIAN GROUP

Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
B	1	Adi Dravida	95	Kera.
B	2	Advichanchi	17	Mys.
B	3	Arava	242	Mys., Maha.
A	4	Atavika	3	A.P.
A	5	Badaga	85463	T.N.
A	6	Bijapuri	2	Delhi
B	7	Budubudike	14	Mys.
B	8	Chettibhasha-Kannada	711	T.N.
E	9	Coorgi/Kodagu	79172	Mys.
B	10	Golari-Kannada	307	Maha.
A	11	Halian	2	T.N.
B	12	Haranshikari	191	Mys.
C	13	Holiya	3093	Maha., M.P
C	14	Irula/Iruliga	4124	T.N.
B	15	Kadubhasha	688	Mys.
D	16	Kaikadi	8456	Mys.
A	17	Kallar	1	Delhi
E	18	Kannada	17305629	Mys., Madras, Maha.
B	19	Karandi	37	Kera.
B	20	Karnataka	75	Gujrat and Delhi.
B	21	Kaspar	8	T.N.
B	22	Kasturi	9	T.N.
A	23	Kattunaicken	1	T.N.
A	24	Kerela	4	Delhi
B	25	Kobashai	94	T.N.
A	26	Konavar	2	T.N.
B	27	Kongar	902	Mys., Maha.
C	28	Koracha	3467	Mys.
B	29	Koraga	192	Mys.
B	30	Karama-Kannada	845	Mys.
D	31	Korawa	5792	Mys., A.P., T.N.
B	32	Korachi	572	A.P.

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
B	33	Kosavan	41	T.N.
B	34	Kota	862	T.N.
A	35	Kumbar	4	Kerala
D	36	Kuruba/Kuramba	8798	Mys., T.N., Maha.
A	37	Kurukal	2	A.P.
B	38	Kuruva Kannadam	215	A.P.
B	39	Laccadive	45	And., and Nico.
B	40	Ladhadi	305	Maha.
B	41	Lingayati	49	Maha.
B	42	Madurai	10	Maha.
F	43	Malayalam	16994919	Kerala, Madras, Mys.
A	44	Malekudi	2	Maha.
A	45	Mallayakka	1	T.N.
B	46	Mangalorese	325	Maha.
B	47	Mochi	6	A.P.
C	48	Montadenchetty	1690	T.N.
A	49	Mysore	1	Gujarat
A	50	Nagari–Kannada	2	A.P.
B	51	Nagari–Malayalam	161	Kerala
C	52	Naiki-Kuruba/ Kurumba	1167	T.N.
B	53	Oda	10	Kerala
A	54	Pallakkal	3	T.N.
D	55	Pania	5221	T.N.
B	56	Parava	48	A.P.
B	57	Parikala	81	A.P.
C	58	Pattapubhasha	1113	A.P.
B	59	Roman–Malayalam	6	Kerala
B	60	Sankara–Yerukala/ Yerukula	89	A.P.
A	61	Solaga	3	A.P.
C	62	Solaga-Kannada	1931	T.N.
F	63	Tamil	30465442	Madras, Mys. Kerala
F	64	Telugu	37642439	A.P., Madras, Mys
B	65	Toda	765	T.N.
B	66	Travankorian	1	Delhi

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F	67	Tulu	934849	Mys., Kerala.
B	68	Udaiyarmoli	4	T.N.
B	69	Udipi	17	Maha.
C	70	Urali	1078	T.N.
B	71	Valluvamoli	3	T.N.
B	72	Vani	12	A.P
B	73	Vettuva	9	Kerala
B	74	Yenadi / Yanadi	240	A.P.
E	75	Yerva	14927	Mys.
E	76	Yerukala / Yerukula	73975	A.P.

CENTRAL DRAVIDIAN GROUP

E	1	Dhurwa	24641	M.P.
A	2	Dorachuttam	1	A.P.
E	3	Dorli	35455	M.P.
B	4	Gaiki	24	Maha.
F	5	Gondi	1383321	M.P., Maha, Orissa.
E	6	Jatapu	19467	A.P.
B	7	Kalari	647	M.P.
A	8	Kandra	4	Maha.
F	9	Khond/Kondh	168027	Orissa, A.P.
E	10	Kisan	50378	Orissa; Assam.
B	11	Kokadi	17	M.P.
E	12	Kolami	46065	Maha. W.B
E	13	Konda	12298	Orissa, A.P.
B	14	Koraputi	153	W.B.
F	15	Koya	140776	A.P., Orissa
F	16	Kui	510907	Orissa
E	17	Maria	65371	Mah., M.P., Ass.
B	18	Nagarchi	74	M.P.
B	19	Naiki-Kolami	8	Dadra & Nagar H
B	20	Pankhali	1	Maha
B	21	Pardhan	453	Maha, A.P.
E	22	Parji	84607	Orissa

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E	23	Parsi Gondi	14990	M.P.
C	24	Pengu	1254	Orissa
B	25	Raj Gondi	335	Maha.

NORTH DRAVIDIAN GROUP

C	1	Adibhasha-Kurukh/ Oraon	2101	W.B.
C	2	Dhangri	4377	M.P. W.B. U.P.
B	3	Dhanwari	23	M.P.
B	4	Kisan-Kurukh/Oraon	102	W.B.
F	5	Kurukh/Oraon	1132931	Bih., W.B., Orissa
B	6	Malhar	77	Maha, Goa, Daman & Diu.
E	7	Malo	88645	Bihar
E	8	Malto	88645	Bihar
C	9	Nagesia	1484	W.B.
B	10	Sauria	31	M.P.

SOUTH CENTRAL DRAVIDIAN

B	1	Andhra	30	Guj. Bih.
B	2	Beradi	122	Maha.
B	3	Budabukkala	28	A.P.
B	4	Chenchu	228	A.P.
B	5	Dakkala	7	A.P.
B	6	Dasari	26	Mys.
B	7	Dommara	963	A.P.
A	8	Ekidi	4	T.N.
B	9	Godri	51	A.P.
C	10	Golari	2591	M.P.
B	11	Jogala	19	A.P.
B	12	Kamathi	153	Maha
B	13	Kammara	64	A.P.
B	14	Kashi – Kapadi	10	Maha.
A	15	Koduva	1	T.N.

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B	16	Kongkoi	6	Guj.
B	17	Malabara	472	W.B., M.P.
B	18	Mala Bhasha	63	A.P.
C	19	Manne	4972	A.P.
A	20	Mathanga	1	A.P.
A	21	Mijar	1	T.N.
A	22	Mondillu	4	A.P.
B	23	Nagli	19	Maha.
B	24	Naikpodi	46	A.P.
A	25	Noor	2	A.P.
A	26	Ottanmoli	2	T.N.
B	27	Padmashali	16	Maha.
B	28	Paki	876	A.P.
A	29	Palwali	1	Maha
B	30	Pichakuntala	26	A.P.
B	31	Pomala	41	Maha.
A	32	Samagara	2	A.P.
A	33	Theevari	2	T.N.
B	34	Vadaga	235	T.N.
E	35	Vadari	20654	Maha., Mys., A.P.
B	36	Vaidu	63	Maha.
B	37	Valmiki	8	A.P.

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TIBETO — CHINESE

KUKI—CHIN GROUP

Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
B	1	Animol	108	Manipur
C	2	Anal	4875	Manipur
B	3	Baite	204	Manipur
B	4	Banshi	69	Trip.
C	5	Bete	2964	Ass.
B	6	Bongcher	6	Trip.
B	7	Changsen	338	Ass.
B	8	Chari Chang	213	Trip.
C	9	Chiru	3059	Mani. Naga.
A	10	Chongloi	2	Mani.
B	11	Darlong	817	Trip.
C	12	Gangte	4877	Mani
B	13	Hadew	170	Ass.
D	14	Halam	5481	Trip.
B	15	Hangseen / Hansing	16	Mani.
A	16	Hangui	4	Mani.
C	17	Haekeep / Haokup	2676	Mani.
E	18	Hmar	25530	Mani. Ass.
A	19	Inido	3	Mani.
C	20	Kaipang	1977	Trip.
C	21	Kalai	2050	Trip.
B	22	Korboag	72	Trip
A	23	Khami	1	Ass.
A	24	Khawathlang	1	Ass.
B	25	Khelma	722	Ass.
C	26	Khongzai	4111	Mani

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India speakers*	*Statewise*
B	27	Kilong	10	Mani
B	28	Kipgen	77	Mani.
B	29	Koireng	531	Mani.
D	30	Kow	5478	Mani.
E	31	Kuki–Unspecified	27837	Mani. Ass. Naga.
D	32	Lakher	9531	Ass.
C	33	Lamgang	1866	Mani.
B	34	Langrong	175	Ass.
A	35	Langtung	5	Ass.
B	36	Lumhao	12	Mani.
F	37	Lushai / Mizo	221985	Ass. Trip. Mani.
F	38	Manipuri / Methei	621244	Mani. Ass. Trip.
B	39	Mate	60	Manipur.
B	40	Matu	212	Ass.
A	41	Moyol	4	NEFA
B	42	Moyon	647	Mani
B	43	Mulsom	289	Trip.
C	44	Mursum	4486	Trip.
B	45	Neisel	10	Mani
E	46	Paite	18612	Mani., Ass.
B	47	Pang	217	Ass.
D	48	Pawi	6866	Ass.
A	49	Poi	2	Ass.
B	50	Purum	82	Mani.
B	51	Ralte	170	Assam. Mani.
C	52	Rangkhol	1517	Assam. Tripura
C	53	Rupini	2028	Trip.
B	54	Saimal	41	Trip
B	55	Shongthu	15	Mani.
C	56	Simte	2818	Mani.
B	57	Singson	24	Mani.
E	58	Tangkhul	44020	Mani.
A	59	Tezong	2	Mani.
E	60	Thado	24213	Mani. Ass.
B	61	Thangngen	201	Ass.
A	62	Tidim	4	Mani.

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India speakers*	*Statewise*
A	63	Tiangtlang	3	Ass.
D	64	Vaiphei	8657	Mani.
D	65	Zou	6761	Mani.

NAGA GROUP

E	1	Angami	34431	Naga.
E	2	Ao	56385	Naga.
E	3	Checkesang	10308	Naga.
D	4	Chakru	8339	Naga.
E	5	Chang–Naga	11329	Naga.
E	6	Kabui	17360	Mani., Ass.
C	7	Kacha Naga	4119	Mani
D	8	Khezha	7324	Naga.
E	9	Khiemnungam	12434	Naga.
B	10	Khoirao	406	Mani.
E	11	Konyak	46701	Naga.
C	12	Lemei	2728	Mani.
C	13	Liangmei	2887	Mani.
E	14	Lotha	26611	Naga.
B	15	Makware	769	Naga.
E	16	Mao	21030	Mani.
C	17	Maram	4928	Mani.
D	18	Maring	7745	Mani.
A	19	Meluri–Rengwa	4	Naga.
C	20	Monsnng/Mongsen	1359	Mani.
E	21	Naga–Unspecified	33333	Naga. Ass.
E	22	Nocte	19287	NEFA
A	23	Nokpu	1	Naga.
A	24	Orangkong	5	Naga.
A	25	Pangsha	1	Naga.
D	26	Paomata	7843	Mani.
E	27	Phom	13385	Naga.
B	28	Phelungre	252	Naga.
C	29	Pochury	2736	Naga.

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
C	30	Poma	1504	Naga.
D	31	Rengma	5934	Naga.
E	32	Rongmei	12729	Mani.
E	33	Sangtam	15512	Naga.
E	34	Sema	47464	Naga.
D	35	Shamnyuyangan	9461	Naga.
B	36	Tableng	14	Assam
B	37	Tabu	957	Naga.
B	38	Tangsa	114	NEFA
B	39	Tikhak	295	NEFA. Ass.
C	40	Tihkir	2486	Naga.
B	41	Upama Naga	58	Ass.
B	42	Urima–Naga	58	Assam
C	43	Wancho	27I3	Naga.
E	44	Yimchngre	10187	Naga.
D	45	Zeliang	9460	Naga.
B	46	Zemi Naga	374	Assam

BHOTIA GROUP

B	1	Adibhasha bhotia	26	W.B.
A	2	Askardi	1	J. and K.
E	3	Balti	33570	J. and K.
E	4	Bhotia-Unspecified	29371	Sikkim, U.P.
C	5	Bhutani	1538	W.B., NEFA, U.P.
C	6	Budli	2764	J. and K.
A	7	Champa	1	J. and K.
C	8	Eukpa	1116	W.B.
B	9	Gazai	30	NEFA
A	10	Girdu	1	NEFA
B	11	Jad	306	U.P.
B	12	Kagate	44	W.B.
B	13	Kharma	7	NEFA
C	14	Khamba	1110	NEFA
B	15	Kongbo	666	NEFA
B	16	Konyo	14	NEFA

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
E	17	Ladakhi	50146	J. and K.
E	18	Lahuli	11412	Punjab
B	19	Lama	59	W.B.
B	20	Marchha	470	U.P.
C	21	Memba	2431	NEFA
D	22	Monga	5408	NEFA
A	23	Sham	1	Maha.
E	24	Sherpa	16173	Sikkim, W.B.
E	25	Sikkim Bhotia	36760	Sikkim
B	26	Spiti	33	H.P., Punj.
B	27	Tangbo	9	NEFA
E	28	Tibetan	33931	Sikkim, H.P., NEFA
A	29	Tumbal	1	Guj.
A	30	Yora	2	NEFA
B	31	Zanskari	6	H.P.

NEFA GROUP

B	1	Abor / Adi	19	NEFA
C	2	Aka / Hrusso	2302	NEFA, Ass.
E	3	Apatani	10793	NEFA
C	4	Ashing	1160	NEFA
E	5	Bangni	14450	NEFA
C	6	Bokar	2392	NEFA
C	7	Bori – Abor / Adi	1835	NEFA
D	8	Chulikata / Idu	7063	NEFA
B	9	Digaru	100	NEFA
E	10	Gallong	29876	NEFA
D	11	Miju	7611	NEFA
C	12	Milang	2428	NEFA
E	13	Minyong	19523	NEFA
F	14	Miri	103188	Ass.
E	15	Mishing	33410	Ass.
B	16	Mishmi	279	NEFA
D	17	Padam	6988	NEFA
B	18	Pailibo	720	NEFA

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Classi-fication		*Mother-tongnes*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
D	19	Pangi	5472	NEFA
C	20	Pasi – Abor / Adi	1840	NEFA
B	21	Ramo	676	NEFA
C	22	Sherdukpen	1144	NEFA
C	23	Simong	3412	NEFA
E	24	Tagin	24055	NEFA

HIMALAYAN GROUP

B	1	Banbhasha	7	U.P.
A	2	Baudh	2	H.P.
B	3	Chini Pahari	9	H.P.
B	4	Dhimal	11	W.B.
B	5	Gurung	82	Sikkim
B	6	Jangali	13	U.P.
B	7	Jangi	119	H.P.
A	8	Kami	5	W.B.
A	9	Kanashi	1	Punj.
E	10	Kanauri	28495	H.P.
B	11	Khambu	25	W.B.
C	12	Lahuli of Chamba	3021	H.P.
D	13	Limbu	5418	Sikkim. W.B
E	14	Lepcha	23706	Sikkim. W.B.
B	15	Malani	562	Punj.
C	16	Mangari	1136	W.B., Ass.
B	17	Nowari	284	Sikkim., W.B.
C	18	Raj	3313	Sikkim., W.B.
B	19	Rawati	91	U.P.
A	20	Samchu	4	H.P.
C	21	Subba	1257	Sikkim
B	22	Sunwar	297	W.B.
C	23	Tamang	4939	w.B., Sikkim
B	24	Toto	383	W.B.

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BURMA GROUP

Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
B	1	Arakenese	16	W.B.
C	2	Burmese	2871	And. & Nico., W.B., Trip.
A	3	Kaman	1	NEFA
E	4	Mogh	10424	Tri.
B	5	Mru.	48	W.B.

BODO GROUP

A	1	Achik	4	Ass.
B	2	Arlong	107	Ass.
B	3	Banai	527	Ass.
F	4	Bodo/Boro	286339	Ass., W.B.
B	5	Dalu	10	Ass.
D	6	Deori	9103	Ass.
E	7	Dimasa	32507	Ass.
F	8	Garo	307026	Ass., Trip.
B	9	Hairamba	201	Ass.
E	10	Jamalia	14522	Trip.
E	11	Kachari	65259	Ass.
D	12	Koch	7698	Ass., Trip.
A	13	Kok Barak	3	Trip.
E	14	Lalung	10576	Ass.
E	15	Mech	10203	W.B.
F	16	Mikir	154786	Ass.
B	17	Murasing	22	Trip.
C	18	Noatia	4468	Trip.
E	19	Rabha	44400	Ass. W.B.
B	20	Rangdania	22	Ass.
E	21	Reang	65004	Trip. Ass.
B	22	Saibya	109	W.B.
B	23	Shekrasip	98	Ass.
F	24	Tripuri	215626	Trip.

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Classification		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
		CHIN GROUP		
B	1	Chin—Unspecified	60	Ass.
		KACHIN GROUP		
B	1	Kawri	6	W.B.
B	2	Sinpho	819	Ass.
		KHAMPTI GROUP		
B	1	Khampti / Khamti	296	Ass. NEFA
		PAHARI GROUP		
A	1	Pahari chamang	1	H.P.
		THADO GROUP		
A	1	Lhouvum	1	Mani.
		UNSPECIFIED GROUP		
C	1	Chote (TB Subfamily)	1035	Mani.
E	2	Dafla (TB Subfamily)	16782	NEFA., Ass.

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KHMER NICOBARESE GROUP

Classi-ficaiion		*Mother-tongues*	*All India Speakers*	*Statewise*
B	1	Bhoi-Khasi	651	Ass.
B	2	Cambodian	20	T.N., Bihar
E	3	Jaintia	14673	Ass.
F	4	Khasi	289650	Ass., Tri.
E	5	Nicobarese	13936	Andaman Nicobar Islands
B	6	Nontung	122	Ass.
E	7	Pnar / Synteng	55113	Ass.
C	8	War	3854	Ass.

CENTRAL MUNDA GROUP

B	1	Birhor	590	M.P., Bihar
D	2	Mirdha	5822	Orissa

KORAPUT MUNDA GROUP

E	1	Gadaba	40193	Orissa, A.P.

EAST MUNDA GROUP

E	1	Karmali	90849	Bihar, W.B., Orissa.
E	2	Mahili	19697	Bihar, Orissa, Bengal.
C	3	Manjhi	2296	Ass., Bihar, W.B.

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		NORTH MUNDA GROUP		
C	1	Asuri	4540	Bihar, W.B.
B	2	Kherwari	547	W.B., M.P., Ass.
B	3	Koraku	53	M.P.
E	4	Korwa	16286	M.P., Bihar
C	5	Mankari	1081	M.P., Maha.
D	6	Muwasi	9829	M.P.
		SOUTH MUNDA GROUP		
F	1	Kharia	171269	Bihar, Orissa, M.P.
F	2	Savara	265721	Orissa, A.P., Ass.
		KHERWARI GROUP		
B	1	Agaria	98	M.P.
B	2	Gayari	16	W.B.
A	3	Gora	1	T.N.
F	4	Ho	648066	Bihar, Orissa.
B	5	Jangali-Korwa	35	M.P.
B	6	Kamari-Santali	903	Bihar.
B	7	Kisan-Santali	41	Bihar.
C	8	Koda/Kora	13277	W.B., Orissa, Bihar.
B	9	Larka	32	Trip.
B	10	Lohara	293	Bihar
B	11	Lohari-Santali	130	Bihar
C	12	Majhi-Korwa	1339	M.P.
C	13	Paharia	2287	W.B.
E	14	Thar	15595	Bihar
		MUNDA-UNSPECIFIED GROUP		
F	1	Bhumij	131258	Orissa, Bihar
C	2	Birjia/Brijia/Binjhia	2391	Bihar, Orissa

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A	3	Dhelki	58	M.P.
E	4	Juang	I5795	Orissa
E	5	Khaira	18325	W.B.
C	6	Kisan-Bhumij	4569	Orissa.
F	7	Korbu	208165	M.P., Maha.
B	8	Kurmi	351	W.B.
A	9	Lodha	5	W.B.
F	10	Mundari	736524	Bihar, Orissa
F	11	Munda-Unspecified	167159	Assam, W.B., Orissa
C	12	Nihali	1167	Maha, M.P.
B	13	Parenga	767	Orissa
F	14	Santali	3130829	Bihar, W.B.. Ass.
B	15	Singli	7	Maha.
C	16	Turi	1562	W.B., M.P.

UNSPECIFIED GROUP

E	1	Adibhasha-Munda	13140	West-Bengal

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A	1	Abhahaik	1	Maha.
A	2	Adhuni	5	Maha.
C	3	Adibhasha	4807	W.B.
A	4	Adibhasha – Nagesia	2	W.B.
B	5	Adim	24	W.B.
B	6	Adivasi	68	W.B.
A	7	Adnis	3	Maha.
A	8	Agsula	1	Delhi
A	9	Ahenai	1	Kerala
C	10	Ahiri	1595	M.P.
A	11	Aia Alam	1	Punjab
B	12	Alanic	6	U.P.
B	13	Alkari	11	Maha.
A	14	Andamanese	5	Andaman and Nicobar
B	15	Andhi	6	Maha.
A	16	Annaric	1	Kerala
A	17	Araji	2	Maha.
A	18	Ascrini	3	Maha.
A	19	Ashai	1	Delhi
A	20	Ashia	1	Maha.
A	21	Arukhati	1	Maha.
A	22	Badhri	1	H.P.
A	23	Baha	2	W.B.
B	24	Bahthi	52	J. and K.
A	25	Bairagi	1	Maha.
B	26	Baisali	81	U.P.
B	27	Baisiya	27	W.B.

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A	28	Daiti	5	W.B.
A	29	Bakatan	1	NEFA
D	30	Bakerwali	5941	J. and K.
A	31	Bakhi	5	Bihar
B	32	Balauri	52	H.P.
A	33	Balhapuri	3	Maha.
A	34	Baliyani	1	H.P.
A	35	Balvan	2	A.P.
A	36	Banari	5	W.B.
B	37	Eandubal	3	A.P.
A	38	Bangargi	2	Maha.
A	39	Bangarni	2	H.P.
C	40	Bangre	1657	NEFA
F	41	Banjari	591654	Mys., M. P., Maha.
A	42	Banor	2	Maha.
A	43	Banthli	4	H.P.
B	44	Barai	2	Maha.
A	45	Barjaian	28	W.B.
A	46	Barochi	1	And. and Nico.
A	47	Basali	1	Maha.
B	48	Basauli	236	H.P.
A	49	Bask	1	Maha.
A	50	Basti	2	H.P.
A	51	Bavari	1	U.P.
C	52	Belderi	2702	Maha., M.P.
B	53	Bengani	8	U.P.
B	54	Benjana	229	Trip
B	55	Beriya	144	W.B.
A	56	Bhadauri	1	M.P.
B	57	Bhadri	11	M.P.
A	58	Bhadruvali	1	Kerala.
B	59	Bhaget	211	W.B.
B	60	Bhagnadi	65	Maha.
B	61	Bhagnari	97	Maha.
A	62	Bhagwathi	2	Maha.
B	63	Bhali	116	J. and K., H.P.

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A	64	Bhamti	3	Maha.
A	65	Bhangari	3	Maha.
B	66	Bhangna	31	W.B.
B	67	Bharia	249	M.P.
A	68	Bhigoli	1	Maha.
E	69	Bhiledi	59243	Gujarat
B	70	Bhim	229	Trip
A	71	Bhivadi	1	Maha.
B	72	Bhogta	20	W.B.
A	73	Bhohoe	3	W.B.
B	74	Bhuiya/Bhuyan	10	Trip
A	75	Bhuj	1	Maha.
A	76	Bhunjia	1	Maha.
B	77	Bhutnagri	145	W.B.
B	78	Bidichoras	21	Maha.
B	79	Bilni	10	J. and K.
A	80	Bithalanean	1	T.N.
A	81	Bejwar	1	Maha.
A	82	Bolti zaban	2	Punj.
A	83	Bomba	3	Mys.
B	84	Bondala	10	A.P.
B	85	Boria	208	J. and K.
B	86	Brain	6	Bihar
B	87	Bucher	63	Bihar
A	88	Budali	1	Maha.
B	89	Bukhari	8	Maha.
A	90	Bunhar	1	Andaman and Nico.
C	91	Burgandhi	1938	M.P.
B	92	Canter	17	Punjab
A	93	Canthars	1	Maha.
B	94	Ceylonese / Simelu / Singhalese	847	T.N., Maha.
A	95	Chabeli	2	Mys.
A	96	Chachi	1	Maha.
A	97	Chage	1	Delhi
B	98	Chamaiya	14	W.B.

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B	99	Chandari	306	M.P.
A	100	Chang	2	A.P.
A	101	Chaperar	5	Mys.
B	102	Chathgir	7	A.P.
A	103	Chaubar	3	Maha.
B	104	Chau Bhasha	483	A.P.
B	105	Chorwani	10	U.P.
A	106	Chetori	2	J. and K.
B	107	Chhari	93	Guj.
B	108	Chhushmoni	7	Maha.
B	109	Chind	9	Mys.
A	110	Chotanagpuri	1	Assam
A	111	Chovoel	1	A.P.
A	112	Chow	2	Mys.
B	113	Christian	29	Delhi
A	114	Ciol	1	Mys.
A	115	Commanga	1	Pondi.
B	116	Coor	72	W.B.
B	117	Cushai	7	Maha.
B	118	Cutch	8	Pondi.
A	119	Dakhuria	2	U.P.
A	120	Dalue	1	Ker.
A	121	Damal	1	Guj.
B	122	Dangchagha	57	M.P.
A	123	Darchini	2	U.P.
B	124	Darwi	88	J. and K.
A	125	Dati	2	Dadra and Nagar Haveli.
B	126	Dayaal Bhasha	19	A.P.
A	127	Dehati	2	NEFA
A	128	Deke	2	NEFA
A	129	Derasmati	1	Delhi
B	130	Desbadi	388	J. and K.
B	131	Deshi	236	J. and K., W.B.
B	132	Deswali	616	J. and K.
B	133	Devanagari	342	Mys.
A	134	Dhallu	1	Delhi

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A	135	Dichi	2	Maha.
B	136	Diwhe	7	Ker.
B	137	Domali	112	Bihar
B	138	Dombari	10	Maha. and Mys.
B	139	Dravidiam	53	Maha. and A.P.
A	140	Dulai	1	Delhi
A	141	Dunavi Pahari	1	H.P.
A	142	Dwed Boli	1	Punj.
B	143	East Indian	7	Maha.
A	144	Elonguria	1	Maha.
A	145	Etawali	3	Maha.
B	146	Eti	26	A.P.
A	147	Eurasian	1	Maha.
A	148	Fatma	1	Maha.
A	149	Fernada	1	Maha
A	150	Figian	1	Ker.
B	151	Fulmali	10	Trip.
A	152	Fulnagri	2	Trip.
B	153	Gabaro	85	W.B.
A	154	Gadal	1	Mys.
B	155	Gadya Bhasha	41	A.P.
B	156	Gagar	4	And. and Nico.
B	157	Ganga	151	W.B.
A	158	Gangasi	1	Maha.
B	159	Ganju	19	Tripura
B	160	Garpagri	7	Maha.
B	161	Garudi	101	Maha
A	162	Gaunti	1	Pondi
A	163	Gavari	1	H.P.
C	164	Gawari	4666	Bihar
B	165	Geneng	9	Sikkim
A	166	Ghamoli	1	Maha.
A	167	Ghanjhari	4	Bihar
B	168	Ghasi	213	Tripura, M.P.
B	169	Ghati	57	M.P.
B	170	Ghatwal	124	W.B.

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A	171	Gharipuri	1	U.P.
A	172	Ghircharg	1	A.P.
B	173	Godagali	40	A.P.
A	174	Godhami	1	Maha.
A	175	Gohari	3	Punj.
B	176	Gopal	134	Maha.
A	177	Gorhathi	1	Ker.
B	178	Gorila	40	M.P.
E	179	Gorkhali	17076	U.P. and M.P.
A	180	Gosai	2	W.B.
B	181	Gowala	16	Tripura
C	182	Gujari	1911	U.P. and M.P.
B	183	Gulgulia	20	W.B.
B	184	Gur	192	Trip.
B	185	Gurjara	303	Maha
F	186	Gurmukhi	130772	U.P.
A	187	Gusara	1	Ker.
A	188	Guthara	1	Mah.
B	189	Gwalri	57	M.P.
A	190	Hali	1	H.P.
A	191	Halvade	3	Maha.
A	192	Hawar	1	Maha.
A	193	Hanoundi	1	A.P.
B	194	Har	9	Maha.
B	195	Hara	37	Bihar
A	196	Hardasi	4	Maha.
A	197	Hasang	1	NEFA
A	198	Heiries	1	Mys.
A	199	Heige	3	Maha.
A	200	Hongna	2	Ass.
A	201	Hijaindel	1	Ass.
B	202	Hudia	6	A.P.
A	203	Hungyo	4	NEFA
A	204	Indian	22	U.P.
A	205	Jabukhri	8	Punj.
A	206	Jamthali	2	H.P.

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A	207	Jarasi	2	A.P.
A	208	Jawali Pahari	3	H.P.
A	209	Jhalo Malo	4	W.B.
A	210	Jhara	121	Trip. and W.B.
A	211	Jhora	1	And. and Nico.
A	212	Joganui	4	H.P.
B	213	Johari	8	U.P.
B	214	Jok-ri	2	Punj.
B	215	Jord	1	J. and K.
B	216	Junkuku	1	NEFA
B	217	Kadi	6	And. and Nico.
A	218	Kaisid	2	H.P.
B	219	Kalahari	7	Bihar
A	220	Kalazan	1	Punj.
B	221	Kalboli	803	M.P.
B	222	Kalwi	1	J. and K.
B	223	Kamadun	2	H.P.
B	224	Kamat	2	Bihar
B	225	Kandi	16	U.P.
B	226	Kandri	1	H.P.
B	227	Kangilu	14	H.P.
C	228	Kanjari	1810	Raj., and M.P., Maha.
B	229	Kanki	1	Punj.
B	230	Kansala	1	Mys.
B	231	Kantari	22	Punj.
A	232	Kapati	3	Maha.
A	233	Karai	2	U.P.
B	234	Karandgam	9	Punj.
B	235	Karangam	147	And. and Nico.
B	236	Kardhani	8	W.B.
B	237	Karan	431	And. and Nico., A.P.
B	238	Karkarmundi	20	Mys.
A	239	Karwali	2	Bih.
B	240	Kashj	14	W.B.
B	241	Kasturi Bhasha	14	A.P.
B	242	Katgi	62	Maha.

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B	243	Katika	9	A.P.
A	244	Katwi	3	Maha.
B	245	Kauri	7	Bih.
B	246	Kavara	36	Ker.
A	247	Kaw	1	Nagaland
A	248	Kawami	1	H.P.
A	249	Khalpa	1	Guj.
A	250	Khampa	1	H.P.
A	251	Khanali	1	Maha.
B	252	Khansi	20	W.B.
B	253	Kharkhadi	1	Maha.
B	254	Khasal	778	J. & K
B	255	Khasbodi	7	J. & K
A	256	Khati	52	Maha.
B	257	Khatri	822	Maha.
A	258	Khattai	4	Trip.
B	259	Khorpi	11	Guj.
B	260	Khuku	14	Maha.
A	261	Kigoi	1	Guj.
B	262	Kikaya	6	Delhi
A	263	Kikiya	5	Mys.
A	264	Kmer	4	Pondi
A	265	Kokag	5	NEFA
E	266	Kol	64465	Orissa, W. B. Bih.
B	267	Koldi	53	Dadra & N. H.
B	268	Kolhati	952	Maha.
B	269	Kolkamar	208	W.B.
B	270	Konagar	7	Mys.
B	271	Konai	10	W.B.
A	272	Konkari	5	NEFA
B	273	Konwar	45	W.B
A	274	Kosan	1	Maha.
A	275	Koshti–Bundeli	5	Guj.
B	276	Koteran	6	Bih.
A	277	Kristi	1	Dadra & N. H.
A	278	Ksarwar	1	W. B.

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B	279	Kuchbandhi	12	M.P.
B	280	Kudu	1	Maha.
B	281	Kuli	138	Trip.
B	282	Kumadri	1	J. and K.
B	283	Kunali	1	H. P.
B	284	Kuncherukala	25	A.P.
B	285	Kundh	1	Punj.
A	286	Kunija	1	Mys.
A	287	Kunsar	1	And. and Nico.
B	288	Kuravanji	99	A.P.
A	219	Kurmi–Hindi	1	U.P.
B	290	Kurvikkaran	31	T.N.
A	291	Kutal	2	Trip.
A	292	Labanio	2	Delhi
B	293	Ladar	31	Mys.
B	294	Ladhari	230	J. and K.
B	295	Ladi	94	Maha.
A	296	Logodu	3	Mys.
A	297	Lalgi	1	Maha.
F	298	Lamani/Lambadi	679363	A.P., Maha, T.N.
B	299	Lamzali	22	Maha.
A	300	Langu	1	H.P.
B	301	Lazodi	485	Maha.
A	302	Libo	4	NEFA
A	303	Loasi	1	NEFA
A	304	Loasia	2	Punj.
A	305	Logli	2	J. and K.
B	306	Lohari	116	W.B.
B	307	Lohari/Munda	123	W.B.
A	308	Lohor	1	And. and Nico.
A	309	Lungandeu	4	Delhi
A	310	Lunkhul	1	Manipur
A	311	Madan	5	W.B.
B	312	Madari	281	Maha.
A	313	Mandari-Kannada	3	Mys.
B	314	Madari–Kuruva	6	A.P.

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B	315	Madari–Nati	21	M.P.
B	316	Madari–Telugu	10	T.N.
A	317	Madgi	3	Maha.
D	318	Madrasi	6135	Bih., W.B.
B	319	Madwali	30	J. and K.
B	320	Mahajani	23	Mys., Maha.
B	321	Mahakuri	14	M.P.
A	322	Mahaswali	4	H.P.
B	323	Mahato	45	W.B.
B	324	Mahto	7	M.P.
A	325	Mai	2	NEFA
A	326	Makhiya	2	Maha.
B	327	Makrani	34	Guj.
A	328	Malantha	1	Pondi.
B	329	Malari	10	Bih.
B	330	Malgiri	37	W.B.
A	331	Malmaja	5	W.B.
A	332	Malnuti	1	Maha.
A	333	Malsan Pahari	1	H.P.
B	334	Maltese	21	T.N., Maha.
A	335	Maltis	1	Ker.
B	336	Manaki	13	Trip.
A	337	Mandakini	1	Maha.
B	338	Mandi	9	W.B.
B	339	Mandula	18	A.P.
B	340	Manduri Pahari	21	H.P.
A	341	Mani	3	Maha.
A	342	Mar	1	Punj.
B	343	Marahi	2	And. and Nico.
B	344	Marajee	16	J. and K.
B	345	Naral	30	Maha.
B	346	Mashan	1	Maha.
B	347	Masti	1	Maha.
B	348	Mastin	17	A.P.
B	349	Mateli	40	Punj.
A	350	Matrai	1	Maha.

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B	351	Meghwali	38	M.P.
A	352	Mehari	4	J. and K.
A	353	Melashi	2	H.P.
A	354	Metali	2	W.B.
C	355	Mijiu	2079	NEFA
A	356	Mikum	3	NEFA
B	357	Mioli	6	Delhi
B	358	Mirdha–Koda/Kora	76	W.B.
A	359	Mita	1	W.B.
B	360	Moghia	88	M.P., Maha.
A	361	Molu	1	A.P.
A	362	Momidomi	4	Maha.
A	363	Mompa	1	Ass.
A	364	Morma	3	W.B.
A	365	Moung	1	And. and Nico.
B	366	Muchi	415	W.B.
A	367	Mughalia	4	U.P.
A	368	Mullu	4	Mys.
A	369	Mumbhara	2	Mys.
B	370	Mundala	16	A.P.
A	371	Mungi	5	Maha.
B	372	Mura	513	Trip.
E	373	Muria	22030	M.P.
A	374	Muslim Pahari	1	H.P.
A	375	Muttari	1	Ker.
A	376	Myalor	1	Maha.
B	377	Nagar	28	Mys.
A	378	Nagari	2	And. and Nico.
A	379	Nagbanshi	5	W.B.
A	380	Nagi	2	W.B.
B	381	Naiya	71	Bih.
A	382	Nakkala	2	A.P.
B	383	Nandiwali	39	Maha.
A	384	Narmadiya	3	Maha.
B	385	Narnoli	36	Raj.
A	386	Nasang Ki Boli	3	H.P.

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A	387	Nasuka	1	NEFA
B	388	Nati	230	M.P., Bih.
A	389	Nayakula	1	A.P.
A	390	Nazu	5	NEFA
A	391	Neglo	1	Punj.
B	392	Nehara	26	M.P.
A	393	Neof	2	W.B.
A	394	Ngaite	2	Manipur
B	325	Ning	16	H.P.
B	396	Nishang	10	NEFA
A	397	Nudiya	1	A.P.
B	398	Nuniya	57	W.B., Trip.
B	399	Odki	158	M.P.
B	400	Onge	131	And. & Nico
B	401	Ordial	13	J. and K.
A	402	Padakhy	1	NEFA
B	403	Pahalwani	99	M.P.
A	404	Pahari–Brijia / Birjia / Binjhia	4	Trip.
B	405	Pahari Kiru	21	H.P.
B	406	Pahari Tikkari	1	H.P.
B	407	Paik	8	Trip.
B	408	Palandi	15	A.P.
B	409	Pali	93	Mys., Bih., Maha.
B	410	Pomula Bhasha	23	A.P
B	411	Pancha	29	A.P.
B	412	Panchrangi	6	Maha.
A	413	Parchinari	2	H.P.
A	414	Pargar	3	Mys.
A	415	Parhaiya	397	Bih.
B	416	Pariya	18	A.P.
B	417	Parki	15	Maha.
C	418	Parsi–Bhumij	4754	Ass.
A	419	Parui	3	W.B.
B	420	Paschima	8	W.B.

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B	421	Pasi	28	M.P., W.B.
B	422	Pasma	14	W.B.
A	423	Pasoba	3	NEFA
A	424	Patani	1	Ker.
B	425	Pathari	95	Maha, M.P.
B	426	Pathisadi	10	Maha.
B	427	Pathlu	45	J. and K., H.P.
A	428	Patsani Pahari	1	H.P.
A	429	Pattam Bhasha	5	A.P.
A	430	Pawite	2	Ass.
B	431	Pemeko	142	NEFA
B	432	Pendhari	11	A.P.
A	433	Phaktun	1	Mys.
B	434	Pilgar	17	Maha.
B	435	Poba	8	NEFA
A	436	Pohani	5	Maha.
A	437	Pokrine	1	Maha.
B	438	Pomo	18	NEFA
B	439	Pondara	154	A.P.
B	440	Poosala	41	A.P.
B	441	Prakrit	5	T.N.
B	442	Proja	14	W.B.
B	443	Punjwali	12	J. and K.
B	444	Purnea	6	U.P.
B	445	Pusai	7	W.B.
B	446	Qustash	2	U.P.
C	447	Rahiya	1029	W.B.
C	448	Raj	1342	W.B.
B	449	Rajbhar	16	Trip.
B	450	Rajghar	44	W.B.
C	451	Rajputani	4900	Maha.
B	452	Rak	382	W.B.
B	453	Rakay	24	NEFA
A	454	Rakchhai	4	M.P.
A	455	Ramdasi	1	Punj.
A	456	Ranat	2	W.B.

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B	457	Ranchi	278	And. & Nico., Trip.
B	458	Ranthia	13	W.B.
B	459	Rasmiati	27	W.B.
B	460	Rathia	47	And. & Nico.
B	461	Ratiya	7	W.B.
B	462	Razali	9	Maha.
A	463	Rebuchebs	1	NEFA
B	464	Reddi Bhasa	23	A.P.
B	465	Rekhti	19	Raj
B	466	Riba	6	NEFA
B	467	Reinsuni	20	NEFA
B	468	Rishi	8	W.B.
A	469	Riyasati	1	U.P.
B	470	Rohe	10	NEFA
B	471	Roman	24	W.B., Punj.
A	472	Roman—Hindi	3	U.P.
B	473	Rose	13	NEFA
A	474	Rovabi	1	Punj.
B	475	Rowdhari	531	J. and K.
A	476	Rumail	2	Maha.
B	477	Sadharan	13	And. and Nico.
B	478	Sahasrabadi	660	Bih.
B	479	Sairi	7	Punj.
B	480	Sam	32	Ass.
B	481	Samaria	407	Bih.
B	482	Samishra	17	Maha.
A	483	Sanap	1	Maha.
B	484	Sankara	34	Punj., W.B.
A	485	Sanku	1	Maha.
B	486	Sansi	467	Raj., M.P.
B	487	Saperi	109	M.P.
A	488	Sapru	4	A.P.
B	489	Saraiya	20	M.P.
B	490	Sardari	9	W.B.
A	491	Sarnarthi	4	Maha.
C	492	Sarodi	1354	J. and K.

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B	493	Sarsar	6	Maha.
A	494	Sasi	1	Punj.
B	495	Sasna	22	W. B.
A	496	Saswari	3	Mys.
A	497	Sathari	45	And. and Nico.
B	498	Satrali	9	T.N.
B	499	Savaji	2	Maha.
A	500	Sayeng	4	NEEA
A	501	Seema	1	Mys.
A	502	Sengou	1	Manipur
A	503	Sellum	1	Mys.
A	504	Servar-	1	Mys.
B	505	Servi	26	M.P.
A	506	Seyphn	1	And and Nico.
A	507	Shaja	1	Mys.
B	508	Shikari	283	M.P.
B	509	Shompon	70	And. and Nico.
A	510	Shoue	3	Delhi.
B	511	Shusha	11	Maha.
A	512	Sigitvia	1	T.N.
B	513	Sikhi	12	Poudi
B	514	Sikkari	29	T.N.
B	515	Silpi	22	A.P.
B	516	Simni	69	Manipur
B	517	Sinas	1	Maha.
B	518	Siraji	2	Maha., NEFA
C	519	Sohalli	1576	H.P.
A	520	Somali	1	Maha.
A	521	Somashing	1	Mys.
B	522	Sonjhari	41	Maha.
A	523	Souni	4	Mys.
B	524	Sudia	439	W.B.
A	525	Sujathigar	1	Mys.
C	526	Sulung	1516	NEFA
A	527	Sungi	1	Maha.
A	528	Sunkard	1	Mys.

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A	529	Surali	2	H.P.
A	530	Surti	1	Maha.
A	531	Swadeshi	1	U.P.
A	532	Swani	3	W.B.
A	533	Taban	2	Maha.
A	534	Taharine	1	Ker.
A	535	Taiphakial	1	NEFA
A	536	Talami	3	Maha.
B	537	Tandara	31	Mys.
A	538	Tandil	1	Pudj.
A	539	Tanjarvalngo	1	Maha.
A	540	Tankera	1	Punj.
A	541	Tarane	1	Maha.
A	542	Taroa	1	Maha.
B	543	Taroni	16	W. B.
A	544	Tashwar	1	Mys.
A	545	Tayeng	1	NEFA
A	546	Tebag	5	W.B.
A	547	Tehri	1	Maha.
B	548	Teli	19	W.B.
A	549	Temelly	3	NEFA
A	550	Tepali	1	Mys.
B	551	Tewari	23	W.B.
A	552	Thakai	2	Maha.
A	553	Thari	1	A.P.
A	554	Tharu Awadhi	3	W.B.
A	555	Thatma	4	W.B.
A	556	Thatwari	1	Maha.
B	557	Tilali	53	J. and K.
C	558	Tirguli	1000	Maha.
B	559	Tolcha	6	U.P.
A	560	Tolor	5	Maha.
A	561	Topi	1	Maha.
B	562	Totoja	47	W.B.
A	563	Trimali	2	Maha.
A	564	Trivedi	2	Maha.

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B	565	Tumbckaru	73	Mys.
A	566	Tungo	1	Maha.
B	567	Uchai	768	Trip.
B	568	Udangmudria	46	W.B.
B	569	Uhando	19	W.B.
B	570	Uhord	10	W.B.
A	571	Ujra	2	Mys.
A	572	Umarpala	2	Delhi
B	573	Umathi	6	Maha.
B	574	Upbhasha	489	W.B.
A	575	Urini	1	Maha.
A	576	Uravan	3	Mys.
B	577	Urmasha	42	M.P.
A	578	Usthu	1	Mys.
B	579	Uttari Pahari	10	H.P.
A	580	Vadakkali	1	Mys.
A	581	Vaipaki	1	T.N.
A	582	Vaival	2	Mys.
A	583	Varanchiti	1	H.P.
A	584	Vatu	1	And. and Nico.
B	585	Veddy	39	A. P.
A	586	Vedic	1	U.P.
A	587	Vedpali	1	U.P.
B	588	Vondala	6	A. P.
B	589	Votga	6	W.B.
A	590	Wakarli	1	Maha.
A	591	Walli	2	Maha.
A	592	Walmiki	3	Maha.
A	593	Wandgiri	1	Maha.
B	594	Watnakari	9	Maha.
A	595	Yagistani	4	J. and K.
A	596	Yahubi	1	Punj.
A	597	Yakıandi	4	J. and K.
A	598	Yaskhila	1	A.P.
B	599	Yero	12	And. and Nico.
B	600	Zindhari	63	J. and K.
A	601	Zunwar	1	Maha.

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ANNEXURE I

LIST OF TRIBAL LANGUAGES HAVING POPULATION OVER 50,000

Sl. No.		All India Population	Break-up (Statewise)
1	Ao	57,745	Ass. (443); Manipur (1,378); Tripur (2); Nag. (55,922) (0.18%) (15.15%)
2	Bhili	24,39,611 (0.56%)	A.P. (1184); Assam (3); Bihar (125); Guj. (2,76,213)J. & K. (134;) (1.34%) M.P. (8,75,916); Maha. (4,41,364); Mys. (1);Punj. (1,113); (2.71%) (1.12%) Raj. (8,31,869); W.B. (26); Tri. (129); Dadra and N.H. (11,534) (4.13%) (19.90%)
3	Bhumij	1,42,003 (0.03%)	Ass. (4,970); Bih. (38,457); Maha. (21); Ors. (95,907) (0.04%) (0.08%) (0.55%) W.B. (2,573): Mani. (2); Tri. (73)
4	Bodo / Boro	3,61,801 (0.08%)	Ass. (3,44,848); Punj. (20); W.B. (16,021); Tri. (3); NEFA (22); (2.90%) (0.05%) Nag. (887) (0.24%)

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Sl. No.	All India Population	Break-up (Statewise)
5 Garo	3,07,040 (0.07%)	Ass. (3,01,108); Punj. (2); W.B. (172); Mani. (16) (25.36%) NEFA (60); Tri. (5,458) (0.16%) (0.48%)
6 Gondi	15,01,431 (0.34%)	A.P. (75,964); Ass.(11,454): Bih.(451);Guj.(219) M.P. (10,45,986); (0.21%) (0.10%) (3.23%) Maha.(3,47,052); Ors. (20,087) W. B. (75); (0.88%) (0.11%) Delhi (6);Tri(116); Sik (21) (0.01%) (0.01%)
7 Ho	6,48,359 (0.15%)	Bih. (4,45,068); Maha. (2); Ors. (2,03, 052); Punj. (1); W.B. (236) (0.96%) (1.16%)
8 Kharia	1,77,159 (0.04%)	Ass. (5,397); Bih. (96,016); M.P. (17,396); Maha (2); (0.05%) (0.21%) (0.05%) Ors. (56,548): Punj. (2); U.P. (1); W.B. (842); (0.32%) A. and N. Islands (655): Delhi (1); H.P. (5); Tri. (237); Nag. (57) (1.03%) (0.02%) (0.02%)

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Sl. No.		All India Population	Break-up (Statewise)
9	Khasi	3,64,063 (0.08%)	Ass. (3,63,092); Ker. (10); M.P. (5); Mad. (4); (3.06%) Maha. (42); Punj. (2); W.B. (182); Delhi (3); Mani. (81); (0.01%); Tri. (333); NEFA (157); Nag. (145); U.P. (7) (0.03%) (0.41%) (0.04%)
10	Khond / Kondh	1,68,027 (0.04%)	A.P. (22,730); Ass. (225); Ors. (1,44,922); W.B. (150) (0.06%) (0.83%)
11	Kisan	50,378 (0.01%)	Ass. (1,061); Maha. (1); Ors. (49,316) (0.28%)
12	Kolami	51,055 (0.01%)	A.P. (12,174); Ass. (10); M.P. (41); Maha. (38,822) (0.03%) (0.10%) Dadra & N.H. (8) (0.01%)
13	Konyak	57,119 (0.01%)	Ass. (48); Nag (57,071) (15.46%)
14	Korku	2,20,242 (0.05%)	Bih. (867); M.P. (1,58,718); Maha. (60,657) (0.49%) (0.15%)

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Sl. No.		All India Population	Break-up (Statewise)
15	Koya	1,40,777 (0.03%)	A.P. (108,658); Ass. (952); Maha. (45); (0.30%) Ors. (31,052); W. B. (69); Nag. (1) (0.18%)
16	Kurukh / Oraon	1,141,804 (0.26%)	A.P. (1); Ass. (32,725); Bih. (5,49,377); M.P. (2,76,193); (0.28%) (1.18%) (0.85%) Maha (75); Ors. (57,340); U.P. (761); W.B. (2,21,127); A. & N. (0.33%) (0.63%) Id. (2,214); Delhi (3); H.P. (69); Tri. (1,811); (3.48%) (0.16%) Goa, Daman & Diu. (22); NEFA (49); Nag. (37) (0.13%) (0.01%)
17	Lushai / Mizo	2,22,202- 0.05%)	A.P. (2); Ass. (2,15,884); Bih. (5); Ker. (3); M.P. (5); Mad. (4); (1.82%) Maha. (17); Mys. (1); Punj. (10); U.P. (37); W.B. (186); Delhi (1); Mani. (2,746); Tri (2,941); NEFA (283); Nag. (245) (0.35%) (0.26%) (0.73%) (0.07%)

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Sl. No.		All India Population	Break-up (Statewise)
18	Mikir	1,54,893 (0.04%)	Ass. (1,54,339); Mani. (58); NEFA (21); Nag. (475) (1.30%) (0.05%) (0.13%)
19	Mili	1,36,598 (0.03%)	Ass. (1,36,322); Mani. (8); NEFA (262); Nag. (6) (1.05%) (0.68%)
20	Munda-Un-specified	2,61,653 (0.06%)	Ass. (89,913); Bih. (20,301); M.P. (635); Maha. (37); Ors.(83,182); (0.76%) (0.04%) (0.47%) W.B. (63,667); A & N. Ild. (867); H.P. (6); Tri. (2,965); Nag.(80) (0.18%) (1.36%) (0.26%) (0.02%)
21	Mundari	7,37,037 (0.17%)	A.P. (27); Bih. (5,74,482); M.P. (855); Ors. (1,29,110); Punj. (10) (1.24%) (0.74%) W.B. (31,486); A & N. Ild. (249); H.P. (96); Tri. (697); NEFA (25) (0.09%) (0.39%) (0.06%) (0.06%)
22	Paraji	1,09,401 (0.02%)	Ass. (616); M.P. (24,718); Ors. (83,914); W.B. (153) (0.08%) (0.48%)
23	Santali	32,47,058 (0.74%)	Ass. (68,756); Bih. (16,59,235); M.P. (51); Mad. (3); Maha. (21): (0.58%) (3.57%) Ors. (3,76,302); Punj. (6); U.P. (5); W.B.(11,40,913); A& N. Ild.(4): (2.14%) (3.52%)

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Sl. No.		All India Population	Break-up (Statewise)
			Delhi. (1); H.P. (45); Tri (1,634); NEFA (16); Nag (66) (0.14%) (0.04%) (0.02%)
24	Savara	2,65721 (0.06%)	A.P. (47,949); Ass. (4,832); M.P. (1); Maha. (1); Ors.(2,10,981); (0.13%) (0.04%) (1.20%) W.B. (1,139); Tri. (818) (0.07%)
25	Tripuri	2,99,643 (0.07%)	Ass. (15,714); U.P. (3): Delhi (1); Mani. (29); Tri (28,3891); Nag. (5) (0.13%) (24.86%)

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ANNEXURE II

INDIAN SCRIPTS: A NOTE

Indian languages are off-shoots of four language families. However, the diverse writing systems found in India today are developed from a single source "Brahmi". The earliest Brahmi inscriptions are those belonging to the region of Ashoka (272–232 BC). The earliest specimen of a child learning writing is preserved in the Sugh Terracota of the second century BC, the fascinating development of different script systems due to the media of writing, the implements used, etc., as observed among many scholars over the years.

The major script systems prevalent in India at the present time are as follows:

Nagari, Gurumukhi, Gujarati, Bengali/Assamese/Manipuri, Oriya, Telugu/Kannada, Tamil and Malayalam. The two other major script systems which are not related to Brahmi and yet are very widely used in the country are the Perso-Arabic script used by Urdu and the Roman script used by a number of languages.

Besides the above there are a number of scripts prevalent in different parts of the country.

Script is only the outer clothing of language. In India, however, values of permance are attached to the scripts and even status is ascribed to those languages which have ancient and individual writing systems. More often that the identity of language is even made depending on the individuality of script. So much religious and emotional significance is attached to script that it is extremely difficult to talk in rational terms about script and script reform. Scripts are no more permanent than fashions in clothes. But in a traditional society where the instrument of writing was a clod of clay, a piece of chalk, an iron stylus or the feather of the bird or the medium of writing was either a birch leaf or a palm leaf the number and shape of letters in the

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writing system had to be meticulously preserved and studiously propogated. The very fact that today a new script is created in India almost once in three months either by way of suggestion to be accepted as a pan Indian script or universal script indicates the direction in change in thinking in this regard.

In India if printing technology is to be interduced for doing its bit in the expansion of literacy and primary education in particular then rational planning needs to be done in this regard. The following five principales are suggested as guidelines:

a) Discouraging creation of new scripts: There is already multiplicity of script in India, which come not only in the way of national integration but also in the way of dispersal of knowledge created in one segment of the country in the other areas. It is seldom realised that irrespective of the family affiliation of the Indian languages the scripts emanate from one source, Brahmi. That being so there is an inherent universal element in the grammars of Indian scripts. There seems to be no rational in creating new scripts using various components of dots and dashes nor inducting foreign scripts which are not organically related to the Indian script system.

b) Use of dominant script systems by non-literate languages : The large majority of Indian languages and dialects lack a writing system. In the present context of realities of in India large number of minority language groups, suffering from identity crisis are demanding recognition of their languages. It is often argued that recognition of languages is not complete without recognising new script. It is seldom realised that from the point of view of the development of printing technology it is against the interest of those languages themselves to have a seperate script. From the point of view of studying an additional writing system which will have no relevance in future is also academically unsound at the same time it must be however be recognised that for giving a chance to the minority language speakers to fully participate in the socio-economic reconstruction of the country it is urgently necessary to provide them education which will quickly bring them to the mainstream of activities. This would require recognition of their mother-tongue for purposes of primary education with provision for smooth transition to the education provided by the neighbouring dominant language in which their immediate economic interests lie.

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In view of this it is suggested that the non-literate languages be encouraged to adopt and adapt the script system of the neighbouring dominant language with which their immediate economic interest is tied up.

c) Reducing the number of scripts: particularly the allied scripts: It is absolutely necessary to reduce the number of major script systems by accepting a single system for more than one language wherever possible. For instance, the difference between the Bengali and Assamese script systems can be said to be a difference of four letters only. Similarly, a difference between Kannada and Telugu is a difference of six letters. It should be possible to adopt a single system and call it Telugu script in Andhra Pradesh, the Kannada script in Mysore and a similar system which could be called Bengali script in Bengal and Assamese script in Assam, in the same way the Devanagari script is called the Hindi script in the Hindi areas and the Marathi script in the Marathi areas. This will be a great step towards rationalisation of printing technology, creation of a wider book market and national integration. Its principle that a grammer of each of these writing systems could be written to point out their individuality and difference. But there is enough to really consolidate in the interest of spread of technology. It may be mentioned in this connection that after Expert Committees examined both the issues, both the Governments of Andhra Pradesh and Mysore have accepted in principle the question of a single writing system for both languages.

d) Script Reform: All over the country efforts are being made to change shapes of scripts wherever necessary to suit the demands of technology. In some ways this is related to the question of adoption of a uniform auxiliary list for the whole country. It is expected that when the report of the survey on Indian publishing undertaken by the Indian Council of Applied Economic Research on behalf of the National Book Trust is available, a lot of information about regional printing would have been assembled in one place for further research. In the interest of efficient research and introduction of new technology there is a great need for coordination in this area.

e) Qucik learning of scripts: Script is relatively a minor aspect of learning a language. However, since it imposes an otherwise avoidable

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barrier an effort must be made to devise suitable measures for quick learning of scripts. The CIIL has prepared a film entitled 'Learn Devanagari' using the two principles of patterned perception and contrastive observation. It has plans to make similar films on other scripts. It is also preparing a series of programmed and semi-programmed script learning books and films strips. These and many other audio-visual aids could be used with profit for accelerated learning of reading and writing.

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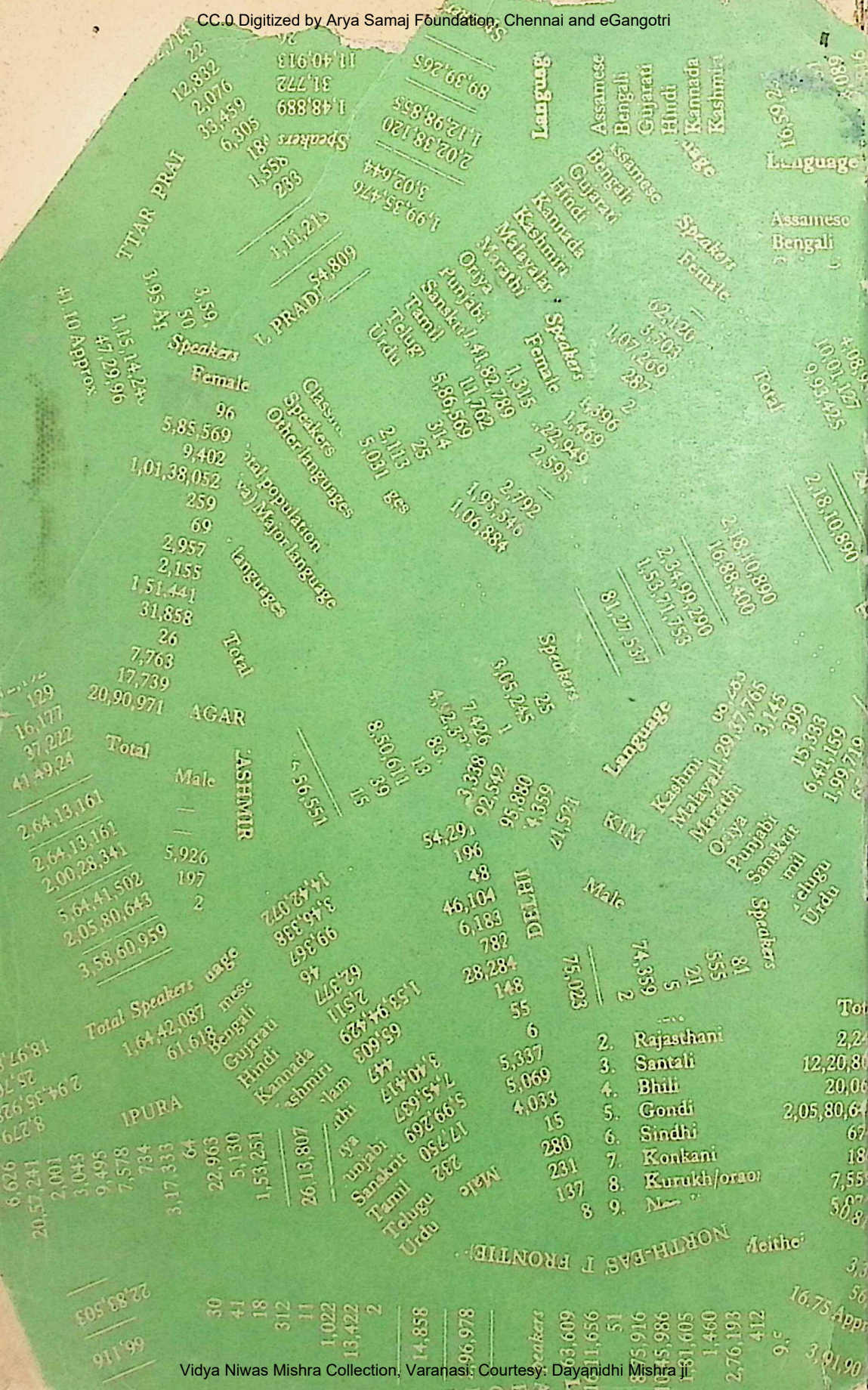

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